



RAF HAMMERS BERLIN FOR ELEVENTH TIME

Novgorod Captured by Red Forces in Northern Drive

4,000 Germans Killed, Moscow Report Asserts

Offensive Traps Many Nazi Troops

By JAMES M. LONG

LONDON, Friday, Jan. 21 (AP)—The Red army toppled the ancient city of Novgorod yesterday on the fourth day of a northern offensive which has cost the Germans 4,000 men, and also trapped an unestimated number of Nazi troops in the Sterna corridor southwest of Leningrad, a Moscow bulletin announced today.

Gen. K. A. Meretskov's armies of the Volkhov front captured Novgorod, 100 miles southeast of Leningrad, by an action officially described as a "skillful outflanking maneuver." Premier Marshal Stalin praised the important victory with the order of the day last night.

Other Armies Advance
On the Leningrad front other armies under Gen. Leonid A. Govorov, attacking southwest of Leningrad and southeast of Oranienbaum, were reported to have joined forces to seal off the fifty-square mile Krasnoye Selo sector to the east of the city.

The two Red armies together were fighting a massive trap for 250,000 German troops in a salient northeast of Leningrad.

The latest Soviet communiqué disclosed that the Russians were only nine miles from Krasnoye Selo, a rail junction through which most of the threatened enemy troops must withdraw toward Estonia if they are to escape the Soviet steamroller.

Reds Take Nizhny

Spiking southwest of newly captured Krasnoye Selo, fifteen miles west of Leningrad, the Russians during the day moved on to Nizhny, four miles below Krasnoye Selo and only nine miles from Krasnoye Selo. Mikhailova, five miles southwest of Krasnoye Selo, also was taken in a fanlike movement which resulted in the capture of two big bodies of Soviet troops.

The junction of the Soviet forces at this point about twenty miles south of Leningrad trapped the Germans in the Sterna area. The city of Piterhof, five miles south of Piterhof, was taken by the Russians. (Continued on Page 10, Col. 5)

Chandler Says British Do Not Want To Fight Against the Japanese

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 20 (AP)—United States Senator A. B. Chandler told the Kentucky Senate today that "the fight against Japan is not our fight" and that the British had underestimated American contributions to the war on Germany.

In defense of criticism he said he had received "for being bold." Chandler, a former Kentucky governor, declared he was not "anti-British and not anti-Russian."

"But I am prepared to be both," he asserted.

He said Prime Minister Churchill's refusal to fight to the end by the side of the United States was "a cold shower to the Britons."

"They don't want to fight Japan," he said.

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33 Japanese Planes Bagged, Three Ships Sunk, MacArthur Report Says

By ROBERT KUNSON

ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NEW GUINEA, Friday, Jan. 21 (AP)—Allied airmen downed thirty-three Japanese planes and sank three enemy supply ships, bagging 10,000 tons in blows ranging from Wewak, New Guinea, to Milne Bay, New Guinea, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters reported today.

The heaviest raid was on the air bases, supply dumps and anti-aircraft positions at Wewak and Milne Bay. Bombers hit Borom with 133 bombs, without interception, while more than 100 escorting fighters shot down twelve planes for the price and probably two more from the fifty to sixty Japanese interceptors that rose to challenge the bombers over Wewak. The Allies lost three planes.

Attack Rabaul Again

Following again at the enemy plane shipping center at Rabaul, three Allied planes from the South Pacific command sank or damaged

NO STOPPING OUR MARINES



HOLDING RIFLES OVERHEAD to keep them dry, Marines waded through shoulder high water as they move through a swamp on way to the front after landing at Cape Gloucester. This photo clearly illustrates a typical day in the life of a Leatherneck on New Britain.

Society Woman Slain in Hotel

Mystery Envelops Chicago Killing

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—Mrs. Frank Starr Williams, 55, victim of a mysterious shooting in her luxurious Drake hotel apartment last night, died tonight at St. Luke's hospital.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—A theory that vengeance may have inspired the attack on Mrs. Frank Starr Williams was considered by investigators today as they sought a mysterious woman who was seen near the Drake hotel apartment where the victim's wife was shot.

While the victim—55, wealthy and socially prominent—remained in critical condition with a bullet wound in the head, Assistant State Attorney Wilbert Crowley stated: "It appears to be a revenge shooting. We have learned Mrs. Williams had some enemies."

Will Question Relatives

He said relatives and friends would be questioned further in an effort to learn the names of any persons who could be regarded as enemies.

Detectives strove to find a trace of a woman who rushed along a corridor outside Mrs. Williams' suite last night shortly after she was shot. C. P. Brewster, a sales manager from Lancaster, Pa., who had a room on the same floor, and Stanley A. Cook, a Chicago business associate, reported the woman hurried past them in the hall as they were going down to the dining room.

The accounts of the two business men dovetailed with stories told by Mrs. Williams and her daughter, Mrs. Patricia Goodbody, 28. The (Continued on Page 10, Col. 4)

War Going Well, Stimson Asserts

Secretary Pleased With the Picture

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Secretary of War Stimson, in a summary of the war on many fronts, reported today that the fighting is going well for the Allies.

He rolled off in rapid-fire order at a press conference reports that Japanese resistance may be collapsing in Northern New Guinea, that the great Russian offensive seems to include a serious effort to lift the long siege of Leningrad, and that substantial progress is being made against Cassino at the head of a valley route to Rome.

The Secretary stopped short of any discussion of what may be the greatest battlefront of all, noting merely that he, President Roosevelt and other officials had talked with General Dwight D. Eisenhower here shortly before the general showed up in the United Kingdom to lead the Allied invasion of Europe from the west.

He said: "Pacific—Allied forces are making steady progress throughout the Southwest Pacific. In Northern New Guinea, Australian veterans have captured Sio and are 'steadily rolling up' Japanese troops between themselves and the American forces in Sidor and have captured large amounts of stores and equipment."

German Air Strength In West Placed at About 2,500 Planes

LONDON, Jan. 20 (AP)—The German air force may be able to concentrate 2,500 planes in the west to meet an Allied invasion of Europe, the magazine "Aeroplane" said today in a summary based on a two-year study of German press and radio reports.

The number might be smaller, the magazine said, if the Allies compel the German high command to disperse their forces by diversionsary attacks.

About 1,200 of the Nazis' 1,700 to 1,800 day and night fighters, including some 150 two-engine rocket carriers, now are facing British and American air units stationed in Britain, "Aeroplane" said.

War Bond Sales Total \$622,000,000

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—War bond sales credited to the fourth war loan totalled \$622,000,000 through last night or little more than eleven per cent of the \$5,500,000,000 set for individual purchases.

The figure, embracing sales since January 1 although the drive did not open formally until Tuesday, was reported to war loan headquarters tonight by Secretary Morgenthau from Cincinnati, where he was scheduled to speak.

Germany Admits Yank Capture Of Minturno

Primary Objective Of Allied Advance

By WES GALLAGHER

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Jan. 20 (AP)—British troops fighting doggedly up 500-foot slopes rising from the historic Apennine Way have driven Nazi defenders from the important town of Minturno, two miles from the Garigliano river, the German high command announced today, as a bitter "give and take" battle raged along a seven-mile front on the Italian west coast.

The Nazis said that Minturno, a key communications center, was lost to Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's advancing forces after having been "completely destroyed." The ancient town, whose prewar population was over 5,000, was a primary objective of the new Allied offensive launched Monday night at three points across the lower Garigliano.

Nazis Admit Loss

While the Nazis conceded Minturno's fall, the Allied command announced capture of the villages of Argentino, at the mouth of the Garigliano; Tufo, a mile northeast of Minturno; and Suio, seven miles up the Garigliano from the coast.

Since their initial landings on the Western bank of the river under cover of a smoke screen, the British have encountered a steady succession of minefields and sheets of machine-gun and artillery fire. The Aurunci mountains up which they are fighting rise at points to 3,000 feet.

An Allied spokesman said the attacking troops had gained firm possession of their bridgeheads and were pressing steadily into the enemy's fortifications, but added that they were being called upon to repel furious German counterattacks. He described the fighting as a "give and take nature."

Desperate Fighting Expected

Some of the most desperate fighting was expected to develop around Castel Porto, a village about two miles from the Garigliano's western bank and six miles inland, where the Germans have installed extensive fortifications on high ground. British reinforcements were pouring across the river to join in the conflict, which was progressing in clear, cold weather.

It was disclosed officially that Monday night's smash across the Garigliano was accompanied by an amphibious operation that landed Allied troops behind the enemy's lines on the gulf of Gaeta. This force presumably participated in the capture of the coastal village of Argento.

Soldier Vote Accord Reached by Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—A compromise soldier vote bill providing for a uniform federal ballot, but empowering state and local officials to decide voter qualifications and validity of service men's ballots, was approved by the Senate Elections committee late today.

Designed to meet the objections of legislators who want the states to retain control of election machinery, the revised bill of Senators Lucas (D-Ill.) and Green (D-R.I.) won a 12 to 2 majority on the elections committee and is to be huried to the Senate floor next week.

Senators Tydings (D-Md.) and Lodge (R-Mass.), authors of alternate bills to set up a federal ballot system, announced they would withdraw their proposals and support the amended Green-Lucas measure.

Good Neighbor Policy: Butler Repeats Charge It Cost U. S. Taxpayers Giganitic Amount

By TOM REEDY
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—A second accounting of United States spending in Latin America was laid before the Senate today by Senator Butler (R-Neb.) with the declaration that his original charge of wasteful outlay of more than \$6,000,000,000 in three years had turned out to be "95 per cent right."

Butler and Senator McKellar (D-Tenn.) immediately squared off in disagreement as they did last November when the Nebraska first charged the administration with "boondoggling" in South America and with trying to spread the New Deal hemisphere-wide with cash.

McKellar said Butler's fresh blast, "in the kindest way I can express it," tended to damage the good neighbor policy especially in war-time.

Butler shot back that he thought he was "making a genuine contribution to the good neighbor policy."

Butler offered figures compiled by a personally engaged accounting firm to show that United States expenditures, commitments and extensions of credit to South American Republics amounted to \$5,733,953,543 in 1942, 1943 and 1944. Another \$662,806,970 was distributed to United States possessions in the hemisphere, he said.

After his return from a tour of the Latin countries, Butler had contended that the total was above \$6,000,000,000. Nelson Rockefeller, inter-American affairs coordinator, had put the figure at less than \$6,000,000,000 and Senator McKellar fixed it at \$2,297,000,000.

NAZI MINE KILLS AMERICAN IN ITALY



FELLOW SOLDIERS STARE solemnly at the body of an American soldier killed while removing an anti-personnel mine on the Italian front. The hole blasted by the mine is in the left foreground.

Rayburn, McNutt Announce Plans For Prosperity

Peacetime Economy Under Consideration

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—New plans to chart a course for postwar prosperity and to put war veterans to work were outlined today by two men of high congressional and governmental rank.

Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) announced that next week he would appoint a bi-partisan House committee to frame legislation designed to get our peacetime economy off to a good start.

Will Open Offices
War Manpower Commissioner Paul V. McNutt disclosed that next Wednesday demonstration offices would be opened in seven cities to test the latest techniques in finding jobs for discharged members of the armed forces with the idea of extending the program to the entire nation by April 1.

Rayburn, who has been mentioned by his Democratic colleagues as a possible vice presidential nominee, said the committee would draw into one common pool information on these vital postwar factors:

1. Conversion speeds, unemployment and the rate of re-employment.
2. Allocation of materials; selection of categories to which critical materials should go first.

3. Public works, federal state and local.
4. New fields of enterprise; the speed at which they can be put in operation; and their labor-absorbing quotient.

Consider Foreign Trade
5. Resumption of foreign trade; the possibility of new world markets; co-ordination with the rehabilitation efforts of the United Nations.

6. The release of surplus war commodities by the government; the channeling of their sale to minimize the economic impact while protecting the public interest.

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Dr. Johns Advocates Sterilization Of Feeble-minded Young

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (AP)—Dr. George A. Johns, superintendent of the Rosewood State Training School for Feeble-minded Children, advocated today sterilization of mentally deficient delinquents in "selected cases."

He said in a prepared statement that this measure should be taken in instances where "handicapped personalities relieved of the responsibilities of parenthood might be enabled to live more happily and contentedly beyond the boundaries and rigid confinement of an institution."

Dr. Johns stated that since there is no remedy at the present time, "preventive or aborative measures are our first-line of defense."

High School Boys Try To Join Air Force

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (AP)—Approximately 500 Maryland High School boys try each month to become members of the air force enlisted reserve, but only about 300 of them make the grade.

Officials of the aviation cadet examining board for Maryland said today that about one hundred fail to pass the stiff three-hour mental test and another hundred flunk the physical examination.

FINLAND REPORTED ON VERGE OF SEEKING SEPARATE PEACE

By E. B. SULLIVAN

LONDON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Red army successes in the Leningrad area gave fresh impetus to speculation here to night that Finland might make direct peace overtures soon to Russia.

Even before the Russians launched their offensive below Leningrad the Finnish official radio Lahti had been quoted in Stockholm dispatches as saying on Jan. 7 that "Finland wants peace and is willing to make peace."

The broadcast hedged, however, by saying that the Finns first wanted to hear Russia's terms.

In view of the new military turn in Northern Russia, many in London would not be surprised if the Finns swallowed their pride and approached the Russians. A hindrance to an open Finnish peace bid, though, is the presence of perhaps 70,000 to 80,000 German troops based in Finland.

Germany has been reported working hard on her fortifications along the Nazi-held Northern coast from the Leningrad area through the Baltic states as far westward as Heligoland Island in the North Sea.

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London Reports Massive Attack On Nazi Capital

21 Bombers Shot Down, Reich Says

By ERNEST AGNEW

LONDON, Friday, Jan. 21 (AP)—Royal Air Force night bombers hammered Berlin last night. It was officially announced early today, in the eleventh massive attack on the German capital since the extermination campaign against the Reich capital began Nov. 18, 1943.

The German radio said that twenty-one bombers were shot down—a statement which was not confirmed from Allied quarters.

The attack, in which a heavy force of Canadian bombers participated, added to approximately 14,000 tons of bombs previously dropped on the German capital in ten major assaults which have laid waste more than half the city.

Strong Force In Action
A continental radio blackout last night suggested that a strong force of night bombers was out, probably hitting more than one target. First announcement of the Berlin raid came from the German radio.

"The German defense inflicted losses on the attacking bombers," the German Transocean Agency said in a broadcast dispatch. "Details have not yet been announced."

British bombers last conducted a major operation on Jan. 14, when Brunswick was hit. The last previous heavy blow in the obliteration campaign against Berlin was Jan. 3, when 1,000 tons of explosives were dumped upon the Nazi capital. There were subsequent Mosquito attacks against Berlin.

The Rome radio yesterday reported an Allied attack—the second in two days—on the outskirts of Rome.

Good Night For It
This was the 105th raid of the war against Berlin, and the German radio indicated that the attacking force had an ideal night to carry out the assault.

Describing the blow as a "terror raid," the German broadcast declared, "In view of the weather, German authorities had expected major bomber formations would make an attack and as a result the ack-ack defenses were effective to the fullest extent from the start."

London had a brief alert early tonight. Earlier the Rome radio announced that "British-American squadrons which 'came from the north' had (Continued on Page 10, Col. 4)

U. S. Casualties Reach 141,000

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Casualties totalling more than 141,000 have been suffered by the American armed forces since the start of the war.

The latest over-all summary of army casualties was 105,229 through December 23, as announced last week by Secretary of War Stimson. However, this total included only part of the 18,119 American army casualties in Italy announced at the same time, and in the last week the total for the Italian campaign has increased to 19,210.

The navy has reported 35,287 casualties since the start of the war in all its branches—25,223 in the navy, 9,390 in the marine corps and 442 in the coast guard.

The totals are divided as follows: Army casualties—All theaters through December 23—Killed 16,831, wounded 38,916, missing 24,067, prisoners of war 25,415.

Army casualties in Italy to date—Killed 2,983, wounded 12,904, missing 3,721.

Navy casualties—Killed 11,976, wounded 2,136, missing 7,778, prisoners 2,335.

Marine corps—Killed 3,193, wounded 3,763, missing 686, prisoners 1,948.

Coast guard—Killed 316, wounded 78, missing 47, prisoners 1.

American Prisoners Well Treated by Nazis

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP)—A Swedish Y.M.C.A. official who recently visited Germany said today the Germans appeared to be upholding the Geneva convention with respect to treatment of American prisoners of war.

The men receive adequate food and have ample opportunity for sports, study, religious services and entertainment, Hugo Cedergren, assistant director of the World Association of the Y.M.C.A., told a press conference.

Much Idle Steel
To take advantage of the plan, therefore, small plants would have to obtain leftover materials, most of it in partly fabricated form. The steel division recently estimated the country has two million pounds of such idle steel and anticipated production cutbacks would pile up the excess.

The plan, which still lacks final approval and reportedly already has met some opposition from the armed forces, would permit small plants to sell the consumer goods without regard to the priority standing of the purchases.

The three WPB regions now being considered for establishment of the plan cover the states of Virginia, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, most of Arkansas and the fringe of western Iowa.

Besides using up accumulated metal left over from arms production or "orphaned" by munitions cutbacks, officials said the plan would contribute slightly to the

Louisville adopted a policy of letting firemen work in the department on their days off to combat a growing manpower shortage and to maintain the fire and police departments at best strength.

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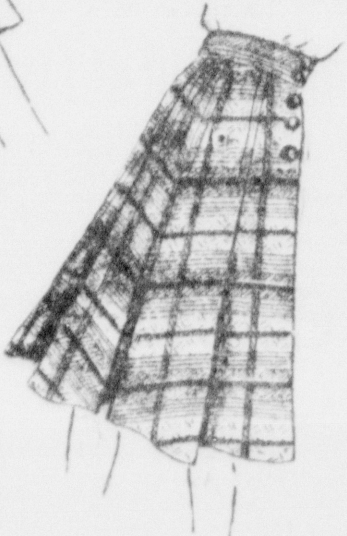
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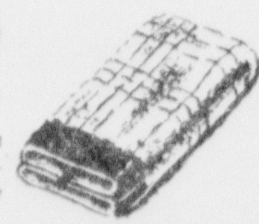
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Teacher Outlook Held Critical

Council Is Urged To Continue Bonus

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (AP)—State school superintendents and other officials told the Legislative Council yesterday that the critical teacher shortage was daily growing more serious and urged the council to take some action to insure continuance of the state bonus after May 1.

E. W. Broome, superintendent of Montgomery county schools who presided over the presentation, asked the legislators to give serious consideration to the possibility of calling a special session of the assembly in order that funds might be provided.

Would Continue Bonus

The superintendents, in a petition to the board of public works made public by Governor O'Connor yesterday, asked the board to provide funds to continue the \$20 monthly bonus, and suggested that if the board were unable to act, the governor summon the legislature.

A number of the county superin-

tendents spoke before the council, declaring among other things that:

1. One first grade room in Anne Arundel county has already had fifteen different teachers this school year.

2. Nineteen junior students and eighteen seniors at the Towson state teachers college are currently being utilized as teachers in the Baltimore county schools.

3. Both Baltimore and Anne Arundel county schools next year will be forced to employ high school graduates or close down schools for 2,000 pupils or more.

4. More than 100 persons are now employed as teachers in Baltimore county who are not certified as teachers.

5. Teachers are resigning in Prince George's county at the

rate of more than one per school day.

6. The counties of the state during the present emergency have provided more in adjusted compensation than the \$1,900,000 provided by the state government.

7. The state's cost of teacher subsidization has decreased because many veteran teachers have resigned and have been replaced by inexperienced teach-

ers at lower salaries.

Among those who addressed the council were Dr. Thomas G. Pullen, Jr., state schools superintendent; Tasker W. Lowndes of Cumberland board; Broome; Dr. Clarence G. Cooper, Baltimore county superintendent; E. W. Pruitt, Frederick county superintendent; Frank Day, Queen Anne's superintendent; George Fox, Anne Arundel superintendent; and Thomas W. Pyle, prin-

cipal of the Bethesda-Chevy Chase High school and president of Maryland State Teachers' Association.

Dr. Pullen and several of the county superintendents, questioned by the council, declared that payment of the teachers bonus made it possible to retain a number of teachers who otherwise would have resigned, and also to hire teachers who otherwise would have gone into other fields.

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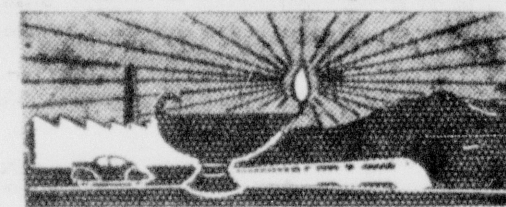
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State Home Rule Laws

Need Attention Now

ANOTHER REMINDER has been given by the *Baltimore Sun* of the pressing need for curing the existing system which causes costly and deleterious legislative jams in the General Assembly. It is a timely reminder, for, as the *Sun* points out, if the situation is to be corrected at the next session of the legislature, which is just about a year away, it is high time to start working on the corrective step at once.

The chief cause of the legislative jams, as this newspaper has repeatedly noted, lies in the indiscriminate enactment of multifarious special local and municipal charters, amendments and alterations to fit each city and county irrespective of all other cities and counties. These should, by all means, as this newspaper has also stated, come under the regulation of general laws providing for the automatic handling of petty local affairs by the established governmental agencies and, where discrimination and judgment are necessary, through the established judicial tribunals.

In other words, decent home rule; and that can best be attained through constitutional amendment thus restraining succeeding legislatures from upsetting the apple cart. Such an amendment should provide that no local and special laws for the incorporation of counties, cities, towns or villages, or amendment of their charters, shall be passed, and that the legislature shall adopt general laws governing all of them with provisions for local amendments and alterations. Provision, of course, should be made for continuing tax limitations, which should be graded upon a scale according to populations.

Until there is some such general restriction, sessions of the General Assembly at Annapolis will continue to be the haphazard, log-rolling, political club-wielding and personally-benefiting farces they have long been, only in a worse sense.

The Byrd Committee Hits Free Mailing

THE BYRD COMMITTEE on non-essential government expenditures continues busy on the job. It is good to note. Yesterday it asked Congress to strip federal government departments of their free mailing privilege, which action, it was declared, would boost the post office revenues by \$30,000,000 this year. That, of course, would mean just \$30,000,000 less the taxpayers would have to fork up.

The committee was not too drastic about the recommendation, making wartime exceptions for the War and Navy departments, the Treasury and the Selective Service.

The volume of postage-free government mail has tripled in the last decade, the committee stated, and now amounts to two billion pieces a year. The quantity last year would fill 5,070 sixty-foot mail cars stretching from Washington past Baltimore.

It was recommended that Congress abolish the system and require the departments to use either regular postal rates or do their mailing on an actual cost basis, paying for it out of their appropriations. Of course, the departments must use the mail; but the assumption of its costs would most certainly result in a vast decrease in the stuff that is now dumped into the mails. Citizens who are annoyed with a lot of it would welcome the surcease the action would provide.

Just a Stinking Little Hitler

THE SOVIET EMBASSY in Washington has issued a bulletin listing a number of charges against the Spanish government of Dictator Francisco Franco.

The bulletin says that although Franco Spain is formally non-belligerent, actually it is an ally of Hitler Germany. It says that, despite Spanish press announcements that the Spanish Blue division has been withdrawn from the Russian front, a Spanish legion is still fighting on one of the sectors of the Volkhov front and that a Spanish air squadron is in action on the eastern battle line.

Franco Spain, according to the bulletin, renders Germany diverse and very substantial assistance, including strategic war materials, and British naval vessels in the Atlantic "are constantly holding up Spanish ships carrying contraband for Germany." The bulletin adds that "Spanish neutrality is only the guise under which German imperialism is using that country for its own purposes."

There is no reason to doubt the truth

of any of these charges. The only possible manner in which to regard Franco is as a stinking little Hitler who has trampled upon the rights of man and has sneered at the "effete democracies."

But the principal feeling of Americans in this matter concerns the manner in which information about Franco's pro-Axis activities percolates through. Presumably the United States and British governments know as much about the situation as Russia does. Certainly the American and British people are definitely interested in anything so vitally affecting the Allied cause. Why, then, should the American and British governments have nothing official to say on the subject?

It looks very much as if somebody — could it be Elmer Davis's O. W. I. as usual? — got scooped again.

A Serious Symptom Demanding Attention

THE ACTION of Miss Vivien Kellems, founder and partner in the Kellems Company, manufacturer of cable grips for the war program, in "withholding" the final payment of her 1943 federal income tax and then going about the country and urging similar action may be taken as a serious symptom of something more than a bit of idiosyncrasy.

"I have not paid my Dec. 15 income tax," Miss Kellems said in a speech before Kansas City service and civic clubs. "They are still putting cold compresses on my accountant's head, but I have not paid it. . . . This isn't a Boston tea party, this is a one-woman Westport tea party (she has an estate at Westport, Conn.), and I cordially invite you to put on your Indian war paint and feathers and join us."

"I call upon all business, both big and small, to follow my example and put aside post-war reserves out of their taxes."

Miss Kellems said she did not pay the tax because she did not have the money, and to raise the money threatened to bankrupt her and close the plant, which employs 150 persons entirely on war work.

If, as stated, the taxes protested would have been confiscatory and invited bankruptcy for this small war industry, then something is radically wrong with the taxing program. The young woman's spirited action should move Washington officialdom to action on tax reform before this sort of thing gets to be a craze, for when Americans indulge in a craze they go the whole works, as the saying is.

Taxes, Expenses And a Pledge

IT SHOULD prove of interest to those who are bitterly complaining about the high cost of government and the resulting tax burden to note the following pledge once made about both:

"I propose to use this position of high responsibility [the presidency] to discuss up and down the country, in all seasons and at all times, the duty of reducing taxes, of increasing the efficiency of government, of cutting out the underbrush around our governmental structure, of getting the most public service for every dollar paid in taxation. That I pledge you, and nothing I have said in the campaign transcends in importance this covenant with the taxpayers of the United States."

Who made this pledge? None other than Franklin D. Roosevelt, when a candidate for the job he has held for nearly a dozen years, September 29, 1932, at Sioux City, Ia.

The question may be left to the average taxpayer as to how well that pledge has been kept.

Persons sending comic valentines to Hitler should be careful to add the zone number of his air raid shelter to the address.

Pilot of a rocket plane, we read, rides ahead of the sound of its noise. Sounds like a cure for back-seat driving.

How To Cut Glass

By MARSHALL MASLIN

Did you ever see a professional glass-cutter at work? It looks so easy the way he does it. It looks so easy, anybody could do it. It looks so easy, try it yourself when you go home.

Somebody has broken a window in your house. You decide to fix it yourself, to save money and to show that you know how. . . . You take the measure of the opening and go down to the glass-man's shop, and tell him you want a piece of glass that size.

He takes a sheet of glass, nicks it at the right places, puts it on his table, draws his cutter swiftly, almost carelessly down the glass, presses his thumb firmly against it, and—click! there's your pane of glass for you, cut right down the line.

But now YOU try it! You buy a glass-cutter of your own. You take a piece of glass and measure it. You draw the cutter very carefully down the line. But you're not sure that you have cut the surface, so you pull the cutter over it again to make certain. Then with close attention, pressing very firmly, you try to break it along the line. . . . Does it work? It does NOT. Your straight line is a wandering curve. Your piece of glass is wasted. All your work has gone for nothing.

What's wrong? Well, for one thing, YOU are wrong. You don't understand glass, don't know how to cut it. You made one mistake when you used the cutter twice on that line. You made another when you used slow pressure on the glass instead of sudden pressure.

That glass-cutter wasn't being careless and show-off. He was cutting glass as it must be cut. He was treating it in the only way it can be treated. . . . If you want to know something else, he was treating glass in just the way a happy human being treats life. Not timid about it, not nervous, not fidgety. Not as though it were something frail and breakable, but as tough, endurable and solid. . . . The way glass is in the hands of a wise workman, the way life is in the hands of men and women who know how.



Marshall Maslin

Pravda Incident May Help Unity, Lawrence Says

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20. There is more than meets the eye in the Pravda episode. The Russians may be poor diplomats and difficult allies but they are not fools or prevaricators.

There must have been a substantial reason for the publication of the report or rumor that some kind of peace talks were going on between British and German personages. The formal denial from the British foreign office merely covers the activities of British officials or diplomats but, as everyone who knows anything about the preliminary skirmishes that lead to peace conferences, there are many business men and unofficial persons who go to neutral countries and carry on conversations that sometimes have a semblance of official sanction.



David Lawrence

Useful for Information
This is not to say that the British foreign office knows about or countenances such things, because sometimes the secret service of a government encourages contacts with enemy sources on almost any provocation or with any excuse as a camouflage because such contacts frequently yield valuable military information.

Germany is herself indulging in the same sort of tactics. It will be noted that a dispatch from Ankara a few days ago attracted some little attention but it conveyed precisely the same kind of information only from the German side. The dispatch stated that Franz von Papen, Germany's principal intrigue artist who has been roving ambassador for Hitler, was in disfavor and had been ordered to return from Ankara to the Reich because of alleged secret parleys with enemy sources extending over a period of several weeks. Then the report was formally denied by Himmler, head of the secret service. Von Papen has been active in Turkey and may have used some British business men in either Turkey or Portugal to arrange a contact with the Allies.

Palpable German Intrigue
What is the object of all this, it may be asked? Unquestionably it is a German effort to sow disunity between Britain and America on the one hand and Russia on the other. The present situation, of course, is made to order for just such an intrigue. Thus there are no doubt many Germans who want to see a negotiated peace with Britain and America rather than with Russia. The impression that Germany wants to surrender to these two allies is an easy one to cultivate because it is so plausible. It could even be cloaked in an apparent sincerity on the part of the proponents of the idea in Germany.

The Russians may have decided that the easiest way to scotch such a maneuver is to open it up to public discussion. The Pravda dispatch gave Cairo as the source but this does not mean that Pravda received a news dispatch from that point for it has since been revealed that no such dispatch cleared the censorship. What is more likely is that the Russian legation at Cairo obtained the information from Greek or Yugoslav sources and relayed it to Moscow at once.

Simplest Process
Stalin doubtless was consulted. He didn't know the meaning of it and from experience realized that merely to ask another government's foreign office would not clear it up because there are so many ramifications nowadays to a government's activities. Publication to all the world seemed to be the simplest process and one in keeping with the normal behavior of democratic countries where reports and rumors are printed and then run down to determine their accuracy.

Evidently the Russians saw more to be gained in the long run by full publicity than by ignoring the matter.

McCORMACK RETIRES



RECOVERING from a long illness, John McCormack, popular Irish tenor, has decided to retire and probably will not sing again in public, say stories from London where he is living.

THOSE THINGS SORT OF GET TO BE A HABIT



High Level of Business and Earnings Is Seen Necessary To Get Postwar Taxes

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20. — The administration seems bent on pushing this high-planned war-time economy virtually unlowered into the peace—all its price and wage levels and its vast production.

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Have the farmers and creameries all quit making butter? Are they going to keep that huge quantity of butter in storage till it spoils? I've never favored strikes or boycotts but maybe we had better all boycott butter and eat margarine. If a nation-wide boycott of butter should develop and farm butter and storage butter should be sold in the market dried up, what then? Maybe the government purchasing department would make up and O. P. A. get jolted into a spasm of business gumption.

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CARTER JOHNSTON, Frostburg, January 20, 1944.

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er through more borrowing and add to the difficulties of interest payment.

Blueprints Useless
The administration, therefore, can put those blueprints aside and forget them. No federal political spending programs are going to do this situation any good.

The only thing that will do the job is a high level of private, productive business and individual earnings to produce the tremendous taxes needed. Spending works the opposite way.

Let no one doubt that it will be done. Whatever is needed to stimulate business into \$100,000,000,000 or \$130,000,000,000 of national income must be done.

In view of the power of the government, results are inevitable even if a higher price and wage scale proves necessary, the government can hike it. Incentive taxation is another way.

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Air Power the Essential

From the Connelisville, Pa., Courier

Administration-inspired spokesmen continue to insist that the invasion of Fortress Europe will cost the United States a half million casualties and that every village and hamlet in the land will feel the blow. How they arrive at the figure has not been divulged. Estimating the American forces in the European theater at three million men, that would mean one in six killed, wounded or missing, which is a very high average.

Whether we are to experience a slaughter or a walkover depends largely on air control. At the rate American factories have been turning out bombers and fighters since the war began there need be no question as to air superiority when we count the great Royal Air Force of Great Britain, together with what Russia will be ready to throw into the battle.

Men like Eisenhower, Gen. Carl Spaatz, who will direct the air phase, and Britain's Air Marshal Sir Arthur William Tedder will insist on complete air control before the invasion is attempted. If we are to accept their statements, General Spaatz has been quoted as asserting that "if adequate air power can be applied to the heart of a nation no other force is necessary." Marshall Tedder says that "air supremacy will win the war." General Eisenhower said not long ago that air power can smash its way through any defense system, making the work of the Infantry relatively simple.

Major Alexander de Seversky, aviation authority, says: "Control of the skies is essential to success of an invasion. But once we have such control and enjoy freedom of navigation over Germany, the invasion loses its purely military character."

Whether or not boys are to be mowed down by the German war machine rests in the hands of the Allied commanders. The people back home will hold them to account if our losses in manpower are excessively heavy.

Northland Stab As Invasion Part Is Conjectured

By CENTRAL PRESS

WASHINGTON—The chips are stacked for an all-out invasion of Hitler's captive Europe across the English channel against the mainland of France.

But military and diplomatic observers unofficially expect blows to fall simultaneously elsewhere—particularly in the direction of Nazi-controlled Norway and Denmark. Obviously, the time and place of the invasions—where the trip-hammer blows will fall, and their intensity are cloaked in the deepest of military secrecy.

There is a growing feeling, however, that some action might be taken from Denmark across the plain of Schleswig-Holstein into the heart of Germany. Then the assault might come from Norway, where the German garrisons have fallen into an indifferent state of mind.

The Germans who have garrisoned the Norwegians for four years are sick of war and aware of the futility of continuing. Morale perhaps is poorer nowhere than in the German army in Norway.

If Norway could be seized at such cost as a base for an attack on Germany through Denmark, the war might be shortened basically. Observers point out that a blow through Denmark would place the Germans in a dilemma—with troops massed in France and on the Russian border, and little knowledge of where the next blow will fall.

Once across Schleswig-Holstein, the Allies would be at the gates of Berlin.

War Expectations Boost Politics

Professional politicians profess to see a tinge of politics in the unswerving predictions the war in Europe will end this year. The political thinkers are in the minority by their arguments and views are weight daily as the discussions continue and the predictions still come from high sources.

They reason: President Roosevelt, in seeking to change his party slogan from "New Deal" to "Win the War" has provided only the first half of what is to be the presidential campaign slogan during the 1944 election race. The last half "in 1944" is being forced wittingly or unwittingly by the military and naval high command, both in the field and in Washington.

Thus, the politicians insist, the Democratic party's slogan eventually will evolve into "Win the War in 44."

Of course, the political group holding this view is composed of that faction in Washington which insists President Roosevelt will be a candidate for a fourth term—that he is, in fact, already running a top speed.

On the other hand, the Republicans in many sections of the country have launched their slogan—"Let's Win Sooner."

Wholesale Film Showing

Harry Davis, the Pittsburgh flower entrepreneur who opened the nation's first "movie" decades ago, would have been amazed to witness the mass demonstration of war industry training films staged by the United States Office of Education.

The films—motion pictures and "slides"—were shown to government officials and newsmen in the medium-sized Social Security building auditorium. But the educational program under Federal Security-Mannover Chief Paul V. McNutt featured commercial "double-feature" groupings several times. Seventeen separate films—five motion pictures and a dozen "still" features—were shown simultaneously on the far wall spaces of the auditorium.

But the exhibiting technique proved impractical even for a government bureau. Aside from the confusion of competing pictures and overlapping sound tracks, the power "overload" was too much for the building electrical system. The performance was broken up by an untimely popping of fuses.

Two Days Not Enough

From the Pittsburgh Press

Senator Elbert Thomas's committee, which is organizing itself to investigate the plight of the white-collar worker, allotted two days of hearings to the white-collar workers who have gotten for a long time.

But even the committee was surprised at the mass of evidence to the effect that white-collar people have been taking a good deal of lack, so it has extended the period of hearings to five days, which is hallelujah.

In all the economic-political skirmishing and tussling which has been going on since the administration first began to "stabilize" the white-collar worker has gone on taking it on the chin with no more than a normal amount of griping—and that in private.

So when a Senate committee decides to give him a chance to blow off steam in public, it is no wonder that two days won't hold him. He could use two months.

Morning Motto

Not only does the Christian religion, but Nature herself, cry out against the state of slavery—FOUR LEO X.

Francis Amtlower

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day while at work in the Baltimore and Ohio railroad yards, when he fell from a box car on which he was working. Though he suffered a skull fracture his condition is reported as good. His home is at Burlington.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.

Robert Mongold, Petersburg, at Potomac Valley hospital last night. There will be installation of officers of the Women's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist church at the church, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A program of special interest including the society's pledge has been prepared.

The ladies of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Friday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Alice Steorts on Main street. The November division of the W.

S. C. S. of Grace Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Wade Condon, 23 F street and the April division will meet at the home of Miss Louise Smith, Davis street. Both meetings will be at 7:30 o'clock, Friday evening.

Personals

Mrs. F. E. Holy of New York City arrived last night to visit her sister Mrs. W. S. Caldwell who is ill at her home on Church street. Mrs.

Holy was accompanied by her son Sgt. Brown Holy, Camp Stewart, Georgia. Sgt. Holy recently returned from service over seas.

Pvt. Robert Wells, Camp Hulen, Texas is home a two-weeks furlough.

Pvt. George S. Fink who has been in the South Pacific for eleven months is spending a furlough with his parents at Headville.

Mrs. James McDowell, Mrs. Paula Carter and Miss Georgiana Mills

are visiting friends in Bellaire, Ohio.

Mrs. J. T. Little has returned from an extended visit with her son Jesse T. Little, Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Beatrice Bell and J. H. Dean who have been patients in Memorial hospital, Cumberland have returned to their respective homes.

Chinese Major S. T. Wang made the first air raid in history on Japan in the bombing of Formosa six years ago.

Frostburg Will

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and Mrs. David Jenkins, Bowery street, has been transferred from Fort Lewis, Wash., to an army base at Johnstown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dumire, R. F. D. 2, Frostburg, have received word that their son, Pvt. Clarence D. Dumire, who was inducted De-

cember 8, has been transferred from Fort George G. Meade, to Fort Knox, Ky.

Miss Anna Lee Stark and Robert Porter returned after spending the weekend in Baltimore, the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Frank Bloomer.

Mrs. William Spates went to Washington this week on a business trip.

Seaman Joseph Shirley, Seabees, Camp Perry, Va., is home on furlough.

Mrs. William Helmick, the former

Miss Gladys Miller, Beall street, is seriously ill.

Miss Catherine Footen is a patient in Miners hospital.

Pvt. Michael F. Acre, Fort Riley, Kan., is home on a ten day furlough.

Irrigation was practiced by Indians in the southwest long before the arrival of the white man.

Profile of railroads in 1942 were even higher than in pre-depression 1929.



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THE TIME: November, 1943.

THE PLACE: Betio, just one of twenty-five outcroppings that comprise Tarawa atoll of the Gilbert Islands.

SCENE I: Early morning of November 19th.

In the most concentrated naval gunfire in history, 800 tons of bombs are dropped by American carrier planes and 2000 tons of shells are hurled by battleships, cruisers, and destroyers.

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SCENE II: The next day.

The table reef prevents the Marines from landing in their Higgins boats and many have to debark 800 yards from the beach and wade in against heavy fire.

Squads of them are blown back into the water in bloody, unidentifiable masses. Many more are hung in death on the barbed-wire barricades in the shallow waters that lap over the treacherous reef.

Now come the Jap pillboxes—some 500 of them—made of coconut logs or concrete or steel. So ingeniously staged are these

pillboxes that when a forward one is destroyed, the Marines moving into the cleared area are mowed down by fire from two inner pillboxes.

And finally, the inevitable snipers in the palm trees—unseen, unpredictable, accurate.

SCENE III: Evening of the third day.

Betio has been taken by the United Nations!

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Shower Is Given For Mrs. Byron Kiser

Mrs. Byron H. Kiser was honored guest at a miscellaneous shower and card party given by Mrs. William H. Buchholz, Wednesday evening at her home, 715 Fayette street.

Mrs. Kiser, the former Miss Anne Buchholz, daughter of Mr. William H. Buchholz, Sr., Washington street, and the late Mr. Buchholz, became the bride on December 17 of Master Sergeant Byron H. Kiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron H. Kiser, Sr., Pinto. She will leave soon to join her husband.

The bridal motif was carried out in the table decorations and appointments. The gifts, placed in a nest tied with white satin ribbons, surrounded by crystal candelabras of white tapers, formed the centerpiece. The place cards were miniature brides.

Personals

Pfc. Joseph F. Hauser is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Hauser, 134 South street, enroute to Fort Lewis, Wash., where he has been assigned as radio repairman. He recently completed a course in radio repair at Camp Davis, N. C.

Corp. John W. Ault has returned to Camp Stewart, Ga., after spending a furlough with his wife and daughter at their home, 408 Magruder street.

Pvt. David Watson, Drew Field, Fla., is spending a ten-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Watson, 309 Race street, enroute to Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Pvt. Thomas P. Counihan, Fort McClellan, Ala., and Francis A. Counihan, New London, Conn., have returned to their posts after being called home due to the illness of their father, J. A. Counihan, who was ill with pneumonia since Jan. 2. Mr. Counihan has returned to his home, 224 Harrison street from Allegheny hospital.

Leo B. Fahey, 9 Hampton place, is a patient at the Veterans' hospital, Aspinwall, Pa.

Mrs. S. G. Wiseman, and son, Robert, New York City, have returned to Cumberland to reside with Mrs. Wiseman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Baron, 555 Greene street. Her husband, Lt. S. G. Wiseman, is stationed overseas with a medical corps unit of the army air forces.

Mrs. Lyle C. Ray, Forrest Hills, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Baron, 555 Greene street.

Frank A. Taylor, Pittsburgh, spent Tuesday with his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lindley R. Taylor and his grandchildren, 307 Baltimore avenue. He also visited his son, a patient in Allegheny hospital.

S-2c Louis W. Burkey returned to Sampson, N. Y., after spending a brief furlough with his wife, Mrs. Madeline Burkey and daughter, Patricia Ann, Route 1, Ridgeley, W. Va. William E. Buchanan, Narrows Park, was admitted to Memorial hospital yesterday for observation.

Army ordnance is now producing more than 18,000,000 artillery shells a month, as compared with 2,700,000 during World War I.

Tea Will Be Given Feb. 16 by WCTU

The Francis E. Willard tea to be given by the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at 2 o'clock February 16, the place to be announced later. There will be a guest speaker and a special musical program.

Mrs. John S. Cook and Mrs. S. R. Neel were appointed chairmen in charge of program and place, by Mrs. Wesley C. Light, at the meeting Wednesday at Central Y.M.C.A. Mrs. Charles Montgomery, Mrs. Edward Walker and Mrs. Elizabeth Zilch were appointed the committee in charge of refreshments.

The union decided to increase the amount of literature for distribution. Mrs. Cook also reported on the visit of Miss Sarah C. Palmer, Philadelphia, and reported twenty new members have been enrolled.

Republican Women Plan Spelling Bee

A quiz on Abraham Lincoln, in the form of an old fashioned spelling bee, will feature the program of the Republican Women's Club February 17, Mrs. Paul M. Fletcher announced at the meeting of the club last evening at the Girl Scout little house.

It was decided that a social hour will be held at the conclusion of the program and members of the losing team will serve the refreshments. Routine business was also transacted.

Last evening's program featured talks by four local attorneys on outstanding Republicans. The speakers, introduced by Mrs. Fletcher, and their topics were:

Miss Evelyn LaNeve, Governor John W. Bricker of Ohio; Noel Spier Cook, Wendell Wilkie; Albert A. Doub, Jr., Senator Robert Taft of Ohio; and William M. Somerville, on Thomas E. Dewey of New York. Each speaker gave a resume of both the public and private life of the man to bring out his background and qualifications for public office.

Approximately sixty members attended and participated in the general discussion at the close of the program.

DeMolay Alumni Will Have Valentine Party

The Sanford H. Buley Chapter, DeMolay Alumni will hold its annual Valentine party in the form of a semi-formal dance February 11, at the All Ghan Shrine Country Club, with music by Jimmy Andrews and his orchestra.

Aden L. Everstine appointed Harold Smith chairman of arrangements at the meeting Wednesday evening at Central Y.M.C.A.

Frederick Beall, Frank Spoerl and Albert Brant will serve as the board of governors for the ensuing year. Chandler Smith was appointed publicity chairman.

Events in Brief

The Women's Sport Club will hold a business session at 8 o'clock this evening at Central Y.M.C.A. Bridge and 500 will be played at the conclusion of the meeting.

McKinley Chapter, No. 12, Order of the Eastern Star will hold an Obligation ceremony at the meeting at 8 o'clock this evening at the temple.

Alfred Weltman and Roy T. Craze will be entertained by the A. Shift Spinning Bowling League at a spaghetti supper at 6:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at Trazzo's. Both men will leave for service in the army February 2.

Ground farm wastes have been used for some time for burnishing metals.

Mrs. H. F. Wyatt

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son were accepted as new members of the club.

A lecture on "Latin American Music" by Miss Dorothy Seebree featured the entertainment program arranged by the Music committee with Mrs. Frank Stuart Rowe, chairman. Mrs. Henry C. Swearingen introduced the speaker, who described Mexico as she saw it during the last two summers.

In describing Mexico City the speaker pointed out that it has perpetual spring as it is in the tropics and is 8,000 feet above sea level. She gave an interesting description of various Mexican cities, and the people. Miss Seebree spoke of a nun's monastery in Pueblo, known as the secret monastery, because it was kept open several years after all monasteries were ordered closed, by being concealed behind an apartment house.

The speaker also described the chapel, which had to be entered by crawling through a hole in the wall, just large enough to admit one person at a time. It is this monastery, she said, that the famous Indian paintings on velvet are found. She explained that the four paintings are valued at one million dollars.

Describes National Symphony
Miss Seebree also exhibited a wax figure of a Mexican charro, by Hidalgo, the greatest American sculptor today. After attending a practice and concert by the National Symphony with Chavez conducting, Miss Seebree said it compared favorably with the American orchestras. The music she said, is best interpreted by their own people, and most of the songs are of love and romance. She gave detailed descriptions of three different dances.

At the conclusion of her talk, Miss Josephine Williams sang "Perjura," Tejada; "Granada," Lara; and "La Perla de las Flores," Monge. Miss Virginia Martin, in a Spanish costume, danced a Spanish number to the music of "La Cumparsita," Rodriguez. Miss Seebree also played two piano selections from the Spanish Suite, "Andalucia," by Lecounta, "Cordeba," and "Malaguena."

SURGICAL DRESSING CLASSES WILL BE RESUMED MONDAY

The Red Cross surgical dressing classes will be resumed Monday afternoon and as the quota for the local group has been doubled, Mrs. Charles L. Kopp and Mrs. Lloyd R. Meyers, co-chairman, urged a good attendance. Anyone who is interested will be welcome and should come at whatever times is most convenient. Classes are held each half day from Monday through Friday on the third floor of the post office building. Classes are conducted from 9 to 12 o'clock in the

morning and another from 1 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Instructors and monitors are Mrs. Robert Work, Mrs. Lewyn Davis, Monday afternoon; Mrs. William C. Walsh, Mrs. G. Morgan Smith, Tuesday morning; Mrs. S. Hodge Smith, Mrs. Olive Shirey, Tuesday afternoon; Mrs. H. T. Bowersox, Mrs. James Weir Kirk, Wednesday morning; Mrs. Arlie Twigg, Mrs. J. W. Reynolds, Wednesday afternoon; Mrs. A. C. Cottier, Mrs. Victor Heisey, Thursday morning; Mrs. Porter D. Collins, Mrs. Frank Walton, Thursday afternoon; Mrs. Henry A. Mackey, Mrs. William Keller, Friday morning; and Mrs. Morris Barnes and Mrs. William Douglas, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Kopp announces that 302, 100 dressings have already been sent by the classes to various medical depots in the United States.

Quotas have been announced and supplies distributed by Mrs. James Warden to the branch chapters in Lonaconing, Westernport, Barton and Frostburg, Mrs. Kopp reports.

The supply of lobsters has been so badly over-fished that artificial propagation now is being used.

Cotton cannot be grown successfully in areas having an annual rainfall of less than twenty inches.

The Navajo Indian Reservation has 16,000,000 acres and is larger than the state of West Virginia.

W.S.C.S. Will Hold Annual Meeting

The annual Baltimore Conference of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will be held in the Mount Vernon church, Washington, D. C., today. Mrs. S. R. Neel, this city, secretary of supplies, will talk to the conference on supplies.

Besides Mrs. Neel, of 120 Grand avenue, Mrs. O. D. Proudfoot, Seymour street, will also attend.

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X-Ray Invention Helps Surgeons

Saves Many Lives
On Fighting Front

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 20 (AP)—An X-ray device which locates within sixty seconds all the bullets and shrapnel in a man's body and marks him for the surgeon's incision will materially reduce the army's mortality rate, officers predicted at the first demonstration of the instrument here.

Designed by O. Conrad Hollstein, Westinghouse X-ray engineer at Baltimore, Md., the machine was approved by the army and a contract for the manufacture of 2,000 was awarded Westinghouse.

Speed Necessary

The life of a soldier wounded by gunfire or a fragmentation bomb may depend on the rapidity of

diagnosis. Col. Alfred A. de Lorimier said at the first public demonstration of the X-ray.

"How many fragments have penetrated his body, where they are and what is the path of the surgeon's knife must follow to remove them? This X-ray unit rapidly and accurately answers all these questions," the army doctor explained.

"The 'super-sleuth' device visualizes the wounded soldier by fluoroscopy in a few seconds. The fragment is localized in both the horizontal and vertical planes, the depth of the fragment ascertained and the skin marked with iodine. Triangular charting also is possible, permitting the surgeon to enter from a third point.

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Betty Furness Sponsors New Liberty Ship

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (AP)—Actress Betty Furness sponsored the S. S. Samchess today at a launching included in ceremonies marking the opening of the fourth war loan campaign at the Bethlehem-Fairfield shipyard.

Miss Furness, star of the comedy,

"Doughgirls," being presented at Ford's theater, cracked the champagne bottle against the hull of the seventh Liberty vessel to be launched at the yard so far this month.

The Samchess is the 281st cargo vessel constructed at Fairfield and will be used by the British.

Tomorrow, the S. S. Van Lear Black will be readied for launching with the widow of the man for whom the liberty ship is named as

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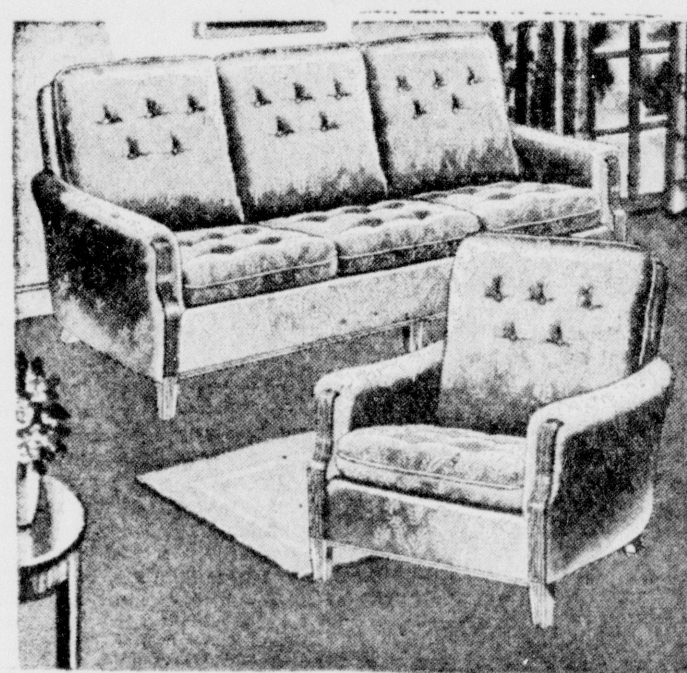
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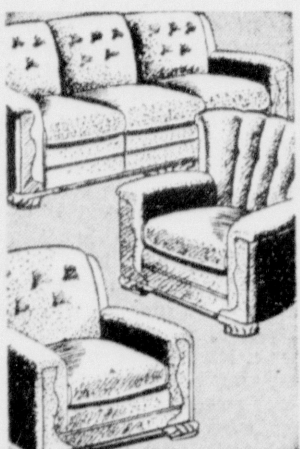
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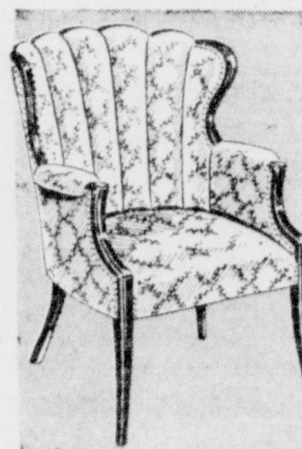
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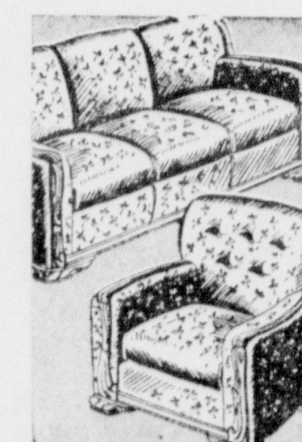
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CHAPTER TWENTY-FIVE

CARLOS WAS right, Mallory. They did "speak to each other" without words. She had seen that from the moment she saw him. That is, she had seen there was a bond, a painful sweet one, but it had taken time to voice it.

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"Yes," she answered breathlessly. "That is the way it is."

"Another reason I do not talk so much," he explained in a slow manner, "is that my English is not the best. Not so perfect as Manuelita's. For her it is as simple as Spanish, but I am not so brilliant. I am too lazy. I did not study enough. Manuelita has, naturally, her Spanish, French, Italian and the fast English. I have the Spanish, the French and the slow English." He added apologetically, "When she is with me I give her the talking."

"I think your English is wonderful, Carlos." And you, too, she yearned to say. "You are so wonderful that simply gazing into your eyes makes me feel as if I'm drowning." Such a wave of warmth floated

over her that she wondered why she ever had thought the night chilly.

She lowered her head and closed her eyes while Carlos led her about the crowded dance floor. How long had it been since she had danced? Really danced? Years, she knew, because soon after she met Ted Patrick he had taught her the dangers of ruining her voice. He did not know, of course, about the times she danced alone in her own bedroom. Practicing, it should be called, for she was determined to remember all steps and to learn new ones. She knew why now. It was to dance with Carlos some day.

She glanced up at him now, fighting that drowning sensation with deep breaths, as though it were a stage fright bugaboo.

"The music, Carlos? What is it called?"

"Vereda Tropical! One of our popular songs. Not new, but still loved."

"I can understand why. It touches my heart."

"I want to touch your heart, Mallory."

"As if you didn't," she whispered weakly. "As if you didn't, Carlos. You touch it so much it hurts."

He whispered back, "Then everything is all right, for mine hurts also. Mallory, I am going to learn more English. For you. I want to be able to call you all the lovely names in English that I am thinking in Spanish—Princess, Querida—"

"Don't bother to learn the English, Carlos. I much prefer the names you've just said."

Mallory had had nothing to drink except Ponche Caliente—a hot punch flavored with many spices and rose leaves—yet she felt as if she were gayly intoxicated on champagne. She wanted to remember everything about the night. The stars that seemed to be cut-outs from gilt paper, glued against the black skies, glittering brightly until one looked at the still brighter glitter of the fiesta.

She wanted to remember the strange texture of the air, a combination of mellowness and briskness and its spicy perfume from dew-spattered fresh green grass; from the heavy fragrance of flowers, both on bushes and on the trays of the salesgirls; from the perfume itself on the women guests.

She wanted to remember the sound of melodious Spanish voices that mingled so correctly with the Spanish music of the orchestra. And the proud, fierce Indians jingling about in their dance costumes. The strolling musicians' troubadour types, guitars slung over their shoulders. Even those tourists, about whom Manuelita had made derogatory remarks, who now went around in fast circles, clutching fistfuls of food, "getting their money's worth." She wanted to remember everything about the night because it was one in millions.

"There'll never be another night like this, Carlos." She was amazed and annoyed to feel hot tears in her eyes.

"But, yes. There will be many nights like this for us."

Mallory smiled, knowing that he was wrong. Those captured moments of perfection were never recaptured.

She was wearing the same dress she had worn to the press conference. Its velvet weight, added to the warmth from the exercise of dancing, were sufficient to keep her comfortable. But, when the music ceased, she quickly picked up her fur coat from its place on the back of a garden chair and hugged it about her. The collar she turned up high about her priceless throat. Although it was scant protection, she again donned the lace head shawl. Carlos was watching her uncertainly.

"I rarely dance," she said, as if that explained her behavior.

"You are joking. You would have to dance often to dance as you do. Why, you are like the sunbeams dancing across at patio."

"Thank you, Carlos." Naturally the girl did not tell him that her bedroom solo dance sessions were

responsible for her ability. "But it is true. Dancing is a dissipation for me. You see, I must not catch cold. A cold is worse than a dragon in my life. Right now I have to keep walking for several minutes."

"I am to blame."

"No, you're not, Carlos. I wanted to dance." She slipped her hand through his arm. "And even if I do catch a cold, it was worth it."

The man still looked unhappy.

"No, I have make for you the danger."

"Have make for you the danger?" was right. Mallory was certain of that as she lay in bed early Sunday morning, thinking back on the previous night, contemplating the future. Yes, Carlos truly was doing just that. And he would continue doing it, because she realized for the first time she was considering a man before she considered herself.

There was no escape, that is, unless

she could control her own emotions, an unlikely matter.

Reviewing Saturday night, Mallory remembered that no one had said much on the return trip. Somehow Carlos had managed to sit between Manuelita and the blond girl. He managed also to hold Mallory's hand. If Manuelita saw, she gave no evidence. She just dropped her head to the luxurious car cushions and hummed lightly. Occasionally she

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Making Peace In Pacific Is Discussed Here

Five Frostburg College Students Present Views at Kiwanis Meeting

"Making and Keeping Peace in the Pacific" was the topic of a panel discussion conducted by five students of Frostburg State Teachers college at the Cumberland Kiwanis club meeting here yesterday at Central Y.M.C.A.

The program was put on by members of the International Relations Club of the college. Those taking part were Miss Betty Virginia Wilson, Frostburg; chairman; Miss Marion Wintermeyer, Cumberland; Miss Wilhelmina McLain, Hagerstown; Miss Louise Wilson, Cumberland; and Miss Frances Goodwin, Clinton, Md. They were introduced by Miss Louise Shaffer, faculty advisor of the club.

Japan Must Suffer
Japan, China, the Philippines, Korea, India, and other countries came in for discussion by the girls with most of the program dealing with Japan and China.

The consensus of the speakers seemed to be that Japan must suffer for the stand the military leaders have taken in world affairs and that after the war the Japanese must solve their own problems however they see fit. The United Nations must see that whatever kind of government Japan has it must be a form that will satisfy the people. The panel thought there should be a federation, or league of Pacific colonies, responsible to the United Nations, and hoped that in the future the countries would settle their differences through the league instead of resorting to war.

China Needs Education
One speaker told of the new constitution which will go into effect in China six months after hostilities cease. The panel declared that China must be modernized and asserted that the chief hope of the Chinese is education.

With respect to the Philippines the panel was of the opinion that after the war, when the Japs are driven from the islands, and the Philippines have their independence that the United States must aid in rehabilitating the islands and that the Philippines must be freed from the economic hold the United States has held on the people.

In conclusion the panel asserted that after the war Asia must be left to work out their own problems with proper supervision of the United Nations, and added that "whatever we try to do or do after the war will be bad for awhile."

Harold W. Smith introduced two new members of the club yesterday and instructed them in the principles of Kiwanis. They were C. Robert Barnes, manager of the Port Cumberland hotel and Ronald Myers, who is employed by the Celanese Corporation of America.

WAVE Enlistment Quota Is Exceeded by 300

Enlistments in the WAVES at the end of 1943 totaled 47,000 officers and enlisted personnel, exceeding by 300 the quota set for the Women's Reserve, U. S. N. R. Chief Petty Officer Walter B. Warner, local navy recruiter, announced yesterday.

Of the number, 10,500 women were still in training and 37,000 were on duty at naval shore establishments in the United States. Only 5,000 women were in naval service at the end of 1943.

By a person to person count, navy women have released for sea duty enough men to take twelve battleships to war against the enemy. Assignment of women to additional shore occupations will make it possible for more men to be released for combat duty in the future.

Naval officials anticipate a total of 92,000 women in the WAVES by the end of 1944. This will require a weekly enlistment of 1,200 women, Warner said.

Pvt. Boyd Bohon

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and Mrs. P. W. Smith, Parsons, has resigned her position as an engineering aide at Wright field, Dayton, Ohio, to accept a position as horticulturist on the staff at Long Lane farm, Middleton, Conn. Miss Smith is a graduate of Parsons high school and of the School of Horticulture at Amherst, Pa. She will spend two weeks here with her parents before accepting her new position.

Briefs and Personals

Walter W. Lambert, (Rep.), has filed for assessor of Tucker county. He served as clerk of the circuit court of this county from 1929 until 1936.

A special communication of Pithagoras Lodge No. 128, A. F. and A. M. of Parsons will be held in the Masonic Lodge hall here Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. One master's mason degree will be conferred.

Word has been received here that Ernest G. Moon has been promoted to corporal at Fort Ord, Cal. Corp. Moon is the survey instructor for his battalion. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Moon.

Paul Dumire, son of Wilson Dumire, Thomas, has recently spent a ten-day leave with his father in Thomas. He is now at Cherry Point, N. C., and has been promoted to private first class in the marine corps.

Pittsburgh Milk

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cleaned after each usage if low bacteria milk is to be obtained.

Maj. M. M. Miller, of the United States Public Health Service, Bethesda, Md., gave an instructive talk on "Legal Aspects" and stressed the prosecution and enforcement of United States public health regulations.

Sound Picture Shown

A discussion on "Items, Toilets, Water and Hand Washing Facilities in Milk Plants" was led by C. L. Wood and Montgomery Morrow, of Montgomery county, Md., and following the showing of the sound picture "Safe Water," the day's program was concluded with talks by S. S. Brimfield, Hagerstown, on "Sanitary Piping, Pipe Construction, Repairs, Waste and Cleaning in Pasteurizing Plants" and E. R. House, of the Norfolk, Va., health department on "Items of Storage."

J. Byron Dowling, sanitarian of the Maryland State Health Department, was moderator at both morning and afternoon sessions. At 5 p. m. a large group of the delegates inspected the plant of the Farmers Dairy, Walnut place.

The milk-conscious delegates consumed a total of 100 pints of the pasteurized product during a morning recess.

Speakers on Final Day

Seven speakers will appear on today's program as the seminar draws to a conclusion.

The discussion leaders, and their subjects are:

J. W. Robinson, Charlottesville, Va., "Valves, Space Heaters, Covers," Alonzo Pike, Oakland, Md., "Milk Cooling - Pasteurization Plants," C. B. Neblett, Richmond, Va., "Milk Control, Bookkeeping, Ledgers," C. O. Snyder, Clarksburg, Va., "Bottling, Overflow Milk, Health and Cleanliness, Capping," James Banger, city health department milk inspector, "Miscellaneous Requirements," Maj. M. M. Miller, "Definitions, Grading, Rating Methods and Cost of Milk Control" and J. Byron Dowling, leader of final discussion.

The seminar will adjourn at 5 p. m.

Theaters To Conduct Drive for Polio Funds Week of January 24-30

Theaters of Garrett and Allegany counties will conduct a campaign to raise money for the infantile paralysis campaign fund during the week of January 24-30. Reynold Wallach, chairman, announced yesterday.

Collections will be taken up in the theaters during afternoon and evening shows that week, Wallach said. Theater patrons contributed generously to this most worthy cause last year.

Flanagan Receives Suspended Fine

Ole J. Flanagan, Route 1, this city, was fined \$3 and costs yesterday after he pleaded guilty, before Magistrate Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., in trial magistrates court, to a charge of operating a car without an operator's license.

Magistrate Bruce suspended the fine upon payment of the costs of the hearing.

Flanagan, who will enter the army January 26, was arrested last Wednesday on Route 49 by Trooper G. M. Rotruck.

Earl William Campbell, 216 Oak street, forfeited a \$6.45 bond when he failed to appear before Magistrate Frank A. Perdew, in trial magistrates court yesterday, for a hearing on a charge of exceeding thirty miles an hour on Route 40 in LaVale. Campbell was arrested Wednesday by Trooper Ira G. Unger.

Most Bakery Products To Be Enriched May 1

The effective date for the enrichment of bakery products other than white bread has been postponed until May 1, William L. Frazer, area WFA supervisor, announced yesterday.

Manufacturers have had difficulty in obtaining supplies of raw materials to make enough flour to cover all needs but supplies are expected to be adequate by May 1, WFA officials said. At that time, all yeast-raised products except biscuits and crackers must be enriched, and doughnuts will be enriched to the extent of the white flour used.

Navy Recruiter Will Address Seniors

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Lieut. K. G. Robinson, naval aviation cadet recruiter will explain the navy's V-5 program to senior boys of Beall, Central, Mt. Savage and Barton high schools today.

The navy recruiting officer reported yesterday that forty-eight seniors of Port Hill, Allegany, LaSalle and Port Ashby high schools are securing transcripts of credit so that they may take the physical and mental tests for V-5 enlistment to be given here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Allegany Awards Diploma To William Sherman

A Cumberland boy, Third Class Petty Officer William R. Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Sherman, who attended Allegany high school for three years, has been awarded a diploma after having obtained the necessary credits because of work covered in the naval service.

Sherman is the first boy in the county to receive a diploma by making up deficient credits after leaving the school for service in the armed forces. He left school in the fall of 1942.

MRS. WILLIS SHOMO DIES AT NARROWS

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Mrs. Dolly Hebb Shomo, 32, wife of Willis D. Shomo, formerly of Cumberland, died at 4 a. m. yesterday at her home in Narrows, Va., after being in failing health for several years.

A native of Cumberland, Mrs. Shomo was a daughter of Mrs. Anna Chaney Hebb, Narrows, and the late Jacob Hebb. Mrs. Shomo and her husband moved to Narrows in November 1942. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran church, Cumberland.

Surviving besides her mother and husband are one son, Ronald, at home; three brothers, Raymond Hebb, Narrows; Augustus Hebb and Victor Hebb, Cumberland; and two sisters, Mrs. Arthur Montgomery, Bedford road, and Mrs. Lana Wolfe, Cumberland.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at the home in Narrows.

MISS MAME C. YOUNG

Miss Mame C. Young, 86, 10 South Allegany street, died at her home at 4:45 a. m. yesterday after being ill since shortly before Christmas. She was a seamstress and was a sister of the late Judge Bernard B. Young, of the orphans court, who died November 24.

Miss Young was a daughter of the late Charles E. and Mary Chambers Young and was born in Harpers Ferry, W. Va., but came to Cumberland at the age of 6 or 7 years. She was the last member of her immediate family and is survived only by nieces and nephews. She was a member of Centre Street Methodist church.

The body is at the Kight funeral home.

BENTON DAVIS RITES

Funeral services for Benton C. Davis, Wiley Ford, W. Va., were held at 2 p. m. yesterday in Stein's funeral home with the Rev. George E. Baughman and the Rev. Louis P. Chastain officiating. Interment was in Davis Memorial cemetery.

Pallbearers were George Rowan, James S. Castle, Charles True, Carl Bucy, Charles Walters and Joseph Parks.

MRS. RICHARD LOWNDES, SR.

Funeral services for Mrs. Richard Tasker Lowndes, Sr., who died Wednesday at her home in Evanston, Ill., will be held here today. Mrs. Lowndes was a sister-in-law of Miss Elizabeth Lloyd Lowndes and Tasker G. Lowndes, 27 Washington street, and the body arrived here yesterday.

Among those here for the services are Joseph Dilling, Clarksburg, W. Va., and four nephews, W. Bladen Lowndes, Baltimore; Lloyd Lowndes, New York; Samuel Adams, Winetka, Ill.; and Robert McDowell, Louisville, Ky.

EDWARD T. GONDER

Edward Thomas Gonder, about 65, native of Cumberland, died at 3 p. m. yesterday at his home in Baltimore after an illness of one year. He resided in Baltimore for the past twenty-five years and was a retired paperhanger. He was a member of the Catholic church.

Mr. Gonder was a son of the late Thomas Gonder, Cumberland attorney, and Alice Harding Gonder. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. May Gonder; three children, Mrs. Alice Cline, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Kathleen Mason, Baltimore; and Miss Olga Gonder, Milwaukee, Wis.; and one sister, Mrs. Mary R. Carpenter, 116 Greene street.

The body will be brought to the Wolford funeral home here Saturday. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

36 High School Youths Will Receive Diplomas

Commencement exercises are being planned for thirty-six high school seniors of this county who will complete their high school career at the end of the first semester. The youths, first to graduate under the accelerated program, became 18 years old before February 1 and are eligible for military service.

Graduates of the county schools will receive their diplomas at commencement exercises held as part of an assembly program. Parents and friends of the graduates will be invited to the assembly.

According to Charles L. Kopp, county superintendent of schools, public school graduates include eleven youths from Allegany high school, nine from Port Hill, six from Beall and one from Bruce high school. Five LaSalle high school seniors will receive diplomas.

Air Raid Wardens Will Meet Tonight

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All zone and senior air raid wardens of Cumberland are urged to attend a meeting this evening at 8 p. m. in the city hall auditorium.

Herman L. Myers, chief air raid warden of Allegany county, last evening announced that the wardens by letter and requests those contacted to be present as business of importance is to be transacted.

Five Births Reported

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sandersack, 125 Bedford street, announce the birth of a son yesterday afternoon in Allegany hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, 318 Cecelia street yesterday afternoon in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Shippe, Route 2, Baltimore pike, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning in Allegany hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bower, Confluence, Pa. Wednesday night in Allegany hospital.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Walter G. Root announce the birth of a daughter January 11 in Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, W. Va. Sgt. Root is a former resident of Cumberland.

LIFE UNDERWRITERS ASSOCIATION SUPPORTS SERVICE INSURANCE

In response to a plea by Thomas P. Conlon that the Underwriters co-operate with National Service Life Insurance, the Cumberland Life Underwriters Association voted last night to go on record as being willing to use every effort to conserve this form of insurance.

Franklin W. Kremer, retiring president, opened the dinner meeting at Central Y.M.C.A. and announced that the Russell C. Wonderlic, manager of Mutual Life of New York at Baltimore City would be the guest speaker at next month's meeting on February 17.

Wonderlic, who will speak on "The Challenge of Tomorrow," has had a brilliant career as a salesman and supervisor, Kremer said, and has also been active in the National Life Underwriters Association.

After introducing the new association officers, Kremer turned the meeting over to President Glenmore V. Rice, who introduced John G. Ruppel, manager of the Martinsburg, W. Va., district office of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Ruppel spoke on "Insuring Human Values."

Brief remarks were made by George W. Barnard and Carl Amstower, after which a vote was taken in recognition of the past services of Kremer, who served four terms as president, and of L. M. Robertson, secretary.

Disgusted Midwest Democrats Plan To Appeal To Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—The Midwest Democratic Convention, composed of national committeemen and state chairmen from thirteen states who are complaining principally about administration of the farm program, may carry their troubles direct to President Roosevelt as well as to the party's national committee.

This was disclosed today by James C. Quigley, Nebraska national committee member and chairman of the conference which was formed at Omaha in December, 1942, with ten states represented. The group will meet here tomorrow with Montana, Indiana and Wisconsin as new members.

The full national committee met Saturday to arrange for the 1944 Democratic national convention. Members will be received by the president (at 5:30 p. m. EWT) tomorrow at the White House. They also will be present at Saturday night's Jackson day dinner here at which speakers are expected to reply to a long series of Republican charges and thereby furnish an idea as to possible issues in the coming presidential campaign.

Society Woman

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latter stated the assailant fired ineffectively at her before turning the revolver on her mother.

Powder Burns on Face

Dr. Thomas J. Coogan, hotel physician, related there were powder burns on Mrs. Williams' face, chest and left hand, the last indicating she had raised her hand as a shield when she was shot at close range.

London Reports

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attacked targets on the outskirts of the Italian capital.

100 Wounded Hospitalized

"First aid services worked well and some 100 wounded have been hospitalized by means of busses," the announcer said. Later the Rome radio said Pisa and Perugia were bombed.

Tonight there was a mysterious flurry at the Rome radio station. Associated Press monitors said that over the voice of the announcer, a woman broke in saying "we are continuing a broadcast which had been interrupted for technical reasons."

Rayburn, McNutt

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7. Examination of federal statutes to learn which will retard and which will aid successful postwar conversion.

If a depression is allowed to occur again, Rayburn told the United States conference of Mayors, "the people will eventually turn again to strong centralized government" and some "man with the iron fist" may "seize control."

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Wednesday, and ten miles westward across the bay from Leningrad, was among the towns to fall during the day, said a Moscow communique recorded by the Soviet Monitor.

Fleet Shells Germans

Soviet airmen dealt heavy blows to German escape roads, and the Russian Baltic fleet warships shelled the German coastal lines as the Russians crushed ahead with accelerated power.

The only other important action mentioned in the Moscow broadcast communique was a fight "north of Khrstinovka" in the lower Ukraine where the Russians said troops under Gen. Nikolai F. Vatutin still were beating down heavy German Counter-attacks aimed at stemming a Soviet strike toward Rumania. A total of approximately 2,000 Germans were killed and thirty-two tanks destroyed in that area, the communique said.

Indicating great danger for all the German forces in the Leningrad area, the daily Soviet communique said Govorov's troops fighting southwestward from Leningrad had joined forces with other units advancing southwestward from the Oranienbaum bridgehead twenty miles west of Leningrad on the Gulf of Finland.

Russians Hold Advantage

The junction of these two forces gave the Russians in this particular area a 50-mile attack wall which is being pushed steadily southward in an effort to overpower Krasnogvardeisk or to cut the railway running westward from there to Reval (Tallinn), the Estonian capital. Either development would be a major strategic success.

In the twin successes of the north the Russians said their troops on the Leningrad front in six days had killed 25,000 Germans and captured 1,000. This killed the German dead 5,000 above the 20,000 killed announced by Moscow Wednesday.

OPA Announces Ceiling Prices of Vegetables And Fruits for Week

Maximum retail prices for fruits and vegetables for the week of January 20 were released yesterday by the local OPA office.

Prices include:

California lemons, extra large, 60 cents dozen; large, 50 cents; medium, 43 cents; small, 31 cents.

California oranges, extra large, 86 cents dozen; fancy large, 73 cents; large, 62 cents; medium, 50 cents; small, 38 cents.

Florida oranges, fancy, 56 cents; dozen; large, 48 cents; medium, 38 cents; small, 29 cents.

California table grapes, 19 cents pound; bananas, 13 cents pound; apples (all varieties) two pounds for 21 cents; onions, 8 cents pound; pickler and boiler onions, 11 cents pound; old potatoes, 5 cents pound; new Red Bliss potatoes, 7 cents pound; Idaho Russet potatoes, 7 cents pound; cabbage, two pounds for 13 cents.

California iceberg lettuce, large, 15 cents head; medium, 12 cents head; Texas spinach, 18 cents pound; Western carrots with tops, 12 cents bunch of one pound; tomatoes (repacked and cello, boxed, higher) 29 cents pound; peas, 28 cents pound.

Fifty per cent of Kharkov's buildings were found unsuitable for occupation after the Germans evacuated the Russian city.

The common bottle now is used in Great Britain to make a special quality paper.



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Byrd Committee Asks Congress To Abolish Free Mailing Privilege

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—The Byrd committee asked Congress today to strip federal government departments of their free mailing privilege—an action that would boost the post office revenue by an estimated \$30,000,000 this year.

The recommendation made a wartime exception for the War and Navy departments, the treasury and selective service. The joint committee, headed by Senator Byrd (D-Va.) is investigating non-essential spending in all government agencies.

In a special report on postage-free government mail, the committee said the volume had tripled in ten years and now amounts to 2,000,000,000 pieces a year.

"It is clear," the report said, "that the conversion from peacetime to war activities has not had its counterpart in the field of mail originating in the departments and agencies of the federal government."

New Land Front In North Burma

NEW DELHI, Jan. 20 (AP)—Allied ground forces, moving up behind heavy assaults by strong forces of American heavy and medium bombers have opened a new North Burma land front in attacks on Japanese positions in the Chindwin area.

In announcing the attacks, launched Tuesday, today's Allied East Asia headquarters communique said only that "some progress was made."

The Japanese positions, in the Kyaukse area, are eighteen miles southeast of Taung on the Western border, less than 200 miles below the Hukawng valley area where American-trained Chinese troops are driving eastward along the route of the new Ledo road to China.

A successful drive eastward from Kyaukse across the upper Chindwin river valley would sever the enemy's main communications between his central and northern forces.

Associated Press Honors Noyes

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP)—Frank B. Noyes was honored at a testimonial dinner tonight for his fifty years of continuous service as a "dear old" of the Associated Press, first of the Illinois Corporation and, since 1900, of the present Associated Press.

Given by Kent Cooper, executive director of the AP, the dinner was attended by members of the AP board of directors and executive staff and by some of Mr. Noyes' associates on the Washington Star.

Mr. Noyes was presented with a scroll which said: "You are one of the three men who contributed most to the creation and development of the organization. The debt to you of those who believe in an honest, thorough and unbiased news report as the cornerstone of a free press is beyond calculation."

A delegation of mailers appeared

Green and Lewis Show Signs of Reaching Accord

CIO Reinstatement To Come Up Monday

By JOSEPH A. LOFTUS

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 20 (AP)—The AFL Executive Council today set next Monday to consider the proposed reinstatement of the United Mine Workers as news was disclosed of a secret meeting on the issue between the estranged presidents of the two organizations, William Green and John L. Lewis.

The Council chose the same day to discuss an invitation to a world labor conference in London next June. AFL participation would mean, contrary to its policy, sitting down with Soviet trade union representatives and sharing American representation with the CIO and some independent unions.

Ask Soldier Vote Law

Another council action today was a declaration calling upon Congress to enact a "simplified and uniform soldier vote law."

The Lewis-Green meeting took place in Washington recently and is believed to have been arranged by a third person interested in expediting the UMW's return to the federation. They talked about two problems relating to such re-affiliation: The Progressive Mine Workers of America, which holds the exclusive AFL charter rights in the coal industry, and the disposition to be made of coke and chemical workers, some of whom belong to Lewis's district fifty.

It is believed to have been their first meeting by mutual consent in about eight years. They had been thrown together by force of circumstances once or twice before in that period. Their conference, however, does not necessarily mean a reconciliation or that commitments were made.

Delegation Meets Council

A delegation of the progressive miners, headed by President Lloyd Thrush and Secretary John Marchiano, appeared before the Council to reaffirm their objections to the readmission of Lewis.

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Juvenile Crime Shows Increase

Baltimore Jurists Report on Problem

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (P)—A seventeen per cent rise in juvenile delinquency in Baltimore during the war emergency period over normal times was reported today by judges of the juvenile branch of the city supreme bench in a resume of the

first seven months' operation of the juvenile court.

The report, signed by Judges William L. Henderson and Charles E. Moylan, said the seventeen per cent increase virtually duplicated the experience in other large cities with many war industries.

Affects Social Life

"In many respects 1943 was not a favorable year in which to set up a new procedure for dealing with children's problems," the report said. "The country has been at war and this has affected normal home life in every social stratum."

"Directly and indirectly it has caused a nation-wide increase in juvenile delinquency and Baltimore, with a seventeen per cent rise in

anti-social behavior on the part of children under sixteen years, is little better or worse off than any other large city in which defense industry has flourished."

No jury trials have been demanded since the court was set up, and none of the 1,532 cases heard between last June 1 and last Dec. 31 have been appealed. A number of them were handled by the new court master, instead of by the presiding judge.

Of their work, the jurists said:

Jurists Describe Work

"The assuming and retaining of jurisdiction in the case of any child requires two decisions on the part of the court; first, that the child is, as defined by law, delinquent, neglected or dependent, and second, that he is in need of care or treatment. Where neither is found, the proceedings are dismissed."

The report also commented that "investigation in juvenile cases is more than a hasty gathering of facts. It combines the elements of probation supervision, medical examinations and study to specifically determine the type of care the child needs. It provides time for exploration of the resources of the parents, the relatives and the community so that a program can be mapped out insuring that these needs will be met."

The judges said that in twenty-three instances adults had been made defendants on charges of contributing to delinquencies, although a number of other such cases were prosecuted in the criminal courts. In thirteen cases, the judges waived jurisdiction on offenders under sixteen and sent the cases to the criminal courts.

The South Atlantic coastal area of the United States is virtually depopulated today because the boll weevil destroyed cotton, forcing the growers to migrate.

Bonnell Opposes Government Plan For Medical Service

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (P)—Robert O. Bonnell, president of the Associated Hospital Service of Baltimore, Inc. (the Blue Cross), criticized as "imitation" today proposals for government hospital and medical service for the public.

"After eight years in which the Blue Cross has studied and perfected the best ways of meeting the hospital needs of our employed

population," Bonnell said, "a few Washington thinkers are attempting to give currency to the idea that only the federal government can perform this task satisfactorily."

"Imitation is the sincerest flattery," Bonnell declared that "we have a real obligation to the public, to the hospitals and to the medical profession. That obligation is to do our job so completely and efficiently that any real need for a governmental medical and hospital service will never exist."

The Social Security Board, in its annual report this week, proposed the addition of medical and hos-

pital aid to social security benefits and to increase the overall social security tax to cover the extension.

More boy than girl babies (1,444,365 to 1,364,631) were born in this country in its first full year in the war, according to the Census bureau.

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SKI POLES, 8 pair, were	\$4.95	\$3.27
SKI POLES, 3 pair, were	\$5.95	\$4.27
SKI BINDINGS, 8 pair, were	\$4.98	\$3.27
SKI BINDINGS, 6 pair, were	\$1.75	\$1.27
SKI MITTS, 27 pair, were	\$1.98	\$1.00
SKI BOOTS, 28 pair, (unrationed)	\$4.95	\$3.77
GIRLS ICE SKATES, 4 pr. (unrationed)	\$6.95	\$5.27
GIRLS Figure Skates, 1 pr. (unrationed)	\$6.95	\$5.27
BOYS SKATES, 1 pr. were	\$8.75	\$6.95
BOWLING SHOES, (rationed) 22 pr.	\$3.40	\$2.97
5-PC. GOLF CLUB SET originally	\$10.95	\$8.77
STAIR TREADS, 9"x18", 65 each, were	.12	.09
CARPET CLEANER, powder form, 50 each	.88	.77
SCATTER RUGS, 24"x46", 24 each, were	\$4.95	\$3.77
CHENILLE RUGS, 27"x50", 10 each, were	\$4.95	\$3.88
BATHROOM RUGS, 24"x36", 24 each,	\$3.29	\$2.77
STUDIO BEDS, 5 each, were	\$59.95	\$49.95
LOUNGE CHAIR with Ottoman, was	\$59.95	\$49.95
FELT MATTRESS Regularly	\$25.00	\$18.88
FELT BASE REMNANTS from 50c up to	\$5.00	
FRAMED MIRRORS, 11 each, were	\$5.49	\$4.79
OVAL AXMINSTER RUGS were	\$4.95	\$3.49
KITCHEN STOOL, 9 each, red or black, were	\$3.95	\$3.11

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	Reg. Price	Sale Price
BABY CARRIAGE, Victory Model, were	\$20.00	\$9.88
BABY CARRIAGE, Victory Model, were	\$25.00	\$14.88
UNPAINTED CHAIR, Leather Seat were	\$2.79	\$1.98
SMOKING STAND, Originally	\$3.29	\$2.79
MENS UNION SUITS, size 36 & each, were	\$1.59	\$1.27
WOOL SHIRTS, 14 1/2 to 37 neck, 36 ea.	\$5.95	\$4.77
SPORT SHIRTS, Large size, 10 each, were	\$2.98	\$2.27
SHOPPING BAGS, #1 each, were	.79	.66
COVERED CASSEROLE, 1 1/2 qt. size, were	.50	.37
COVERED CASSEROLE, 1 1/2 qt. size, were	.39	.27
COVERED CASSEROLE, 2-qt. size, were	.60	.47
OPEN CASSEROLE, 1-qt. size, were	.30	.22
OPEN CASSEROLE, 1 1/2-qt. size, were	.35	.27
OPEN CASSEROLE, 2-qt. size, were	.45	.33
FLAMEX LOAF PAN, 27 only, were	.45	.27
FIBER BREAD BOX, Large size, 2 only	\$4.29	\$3.44
CHICKEN FRYER, each from 14 each, were	.59	.47
SPOT REMOVER, 8 oz. size, 6 only, were	.25	.17
O'CEDAR POLISH, 8 oz. size, were	.19	.14c
ALL PURPOSE CLEANER, 4 each, were	.29	.22
VICTORY BROOMS, 25 each, were	.98	.77
DRIP COFFEE MAKER, 8 ea., were	\$1.69	\$1.17
WATERLESS CLEANER, 8 lb., 2 each, were	.65	.47

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DRILL PANTS, 2 pair, size 44, were \$2.69, NOW	\$1.97
TWILL PANTS, 7 pair, size 36, were \$1.98, NOW	\$1.57
WHIPCORD BREECHES, 1 pr., size 42, were \$1.89, NOW	\$1.47
REVERSIBLE COAT, Red Plaid, size 42, was \$10.95, NOW	\$7.77
NAVY GARGARDINE PANT, sizes 38 to 42, were \$2.98, NOW	\$2.27
NAVY GABARDINE SHIRTS, size 15 to 18 1/2, were \$2.00, NOW	\$1.47
PLAID JACKETS, Sizes 34 to 48, were \$4.89, NOW	\$3.77

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VANITY CABINET, plate glass mirror, were \$9.69, NOW	\$6.47
NU-PERL CLOSET SEATS, black, were \$5.75, NOW	\$3.87
CLOSET COMBINATION, complete with white seat, were \$24.50, NOW	\$23.25
ANTI-SYPHON "P" TRAP, chrome plated wall type, were \$5.15, NOW	\$3.47
FIRST AID KITS, were \$1.89, NOW	\$1.47
RUBBERNEW, adds life to tire, qt., were \$1.97, NOW	.47c
RUBBERNEW, adds miles to tire, gal., were \$6.95, NOW	\$1.88
BRAKE LINING SETS, were \$4.25, NOW	\$3.27
SERVICE FLAGS, silk, were 98c, NOW	17c
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German Retreat May Be Planned, Simpson Asserts

Loss of Novgorod Is Blow to Nazis

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

The Red army's capture of Novgorod central defensive stronghold in the lower Volkhov, strongly suggests that a line-shortening German retreat is underway from the upper Lovat river in the south to the Baltic coast in the north.

Even before Moscow announced its capture, official Berlin war bulletins acknowledged "evacuation" of the city on the Volkhov at the northern extremity of Lake Ilmen—one of the twin keys to the critical center of the German army's Baltic flank. The other is Staraya Russa, just south of the big lake now exposed to Russian flanking thrusts at the Shumsk junction communications center, and already in danger of being cut off in the rear. Moscow reports indicate that the Russians are promptly expanding both southward and westward from Novgorod. They are within thirty miles of Shumsk down the rail and road system skirting the western rim of Lake Ilmen. Its capture would isolate Staraya Russa except for the Staraya Russa-Dno-Pskov railroad which also is threatened.

May Trap Large Force

Complete lifting of the Leningrad siege, possible entrapment of German forces between Leningrad and Lake Ilmen and a side-based central jab to split the Nazi Baltic front apart to the Pripet lake chain, were the indicated first objectives of the mighty Russian attack in the north.

With loss of the essential Novgorod anchorage, however, the whole German front in Russia from the marshes of the Pripet to the Baltic is endangered.

German Center Threatened

Tremendous as has been the success of the overwhelming Russian two-pronged attack in the immediate Leningrad area, the breakthrough on the lower Volkhov has far greater potential strategic significance. With the Novgorod strong point lost, the whole German center on the Baltic flank is threatened with collapse. Russian spearheads already must be forcing westward down the Novgorod-Luga escape route alone left open to the fleeing Nazi garrison when Novgorod was cut off to the north and south.

An advance of less than fifty miles westward on that line would cut the last north-south connection for German forces in the Leningrad and upper Volkhov theaters except

for the Pskov-Narva line just east of the Pripet lake chain. Nor is there any indicated strong natural defense front for a new Nazi stand to be picked out on the maps east of the Pripet lakes.

Lakes Heavily Frozen

The country through which the Russian westward push from Novgorod is aimed is dotted with small lakes and swamplands, now heavily frozen. It is devoid of wide north-south river barriers or substantial heights. The fall of Novgorod means open winter warfare on the whole Baltic flank at which the Russians have never failed to out-match their Nazi antagonists.

That was demonstrated anew in the surprise Russian crossing over frozen Lake Ilmen to cut Novgorod off from the south as well as the north and wrench it overnight from German hands.

The Nazi high command failed utterly to read the portents at Stalingrad right a year ago, and lost an army. The indications are strong that in the Ukraine and the Dnieper bend it has again failed to fall back in time to escape very grave entrapment dangers hovering over the whole German Black Sea flank.

Civil Service Needs Accountants, Auditors

Accountants and auditors are needed by the Civil Service commission to fill 500 internal revenue agent positions now open. Written examinations are no longer required for positions as departmental guards who are urgently needed to patrol and guard government buildings in Washington, according to a recent Civil Service announcement.

Positions in accounting and auditing pay \$2,433 to \$3,163 a year in-

cluding overtime. Applicants must show at least two years of training or experience in accounting or bookkeeping or training and experience equaling two years. Three years of experience is required for the higher wage scale. There is no age limit. Departmental guard positions, which pay \$1,824 a year, are open to persons who have had three years' experience as a soldier, sailor, bus driver, farmer or similar occupation. There is no age limit. Further information is available at the Civil Service room in the post office building.

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\$1.39 to \$3.98, now

(27) Ladies' Sport Jackets, formerly 1/2 price
\$2.98 to \$6.98, now

(10) Boys' Dress Suits, formerly 1/2 price
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The medical department of the army ordnance plant at Illinois, Ill., has established a new "Lose-Two-Pounds-a-Week" Club for overweight employees.

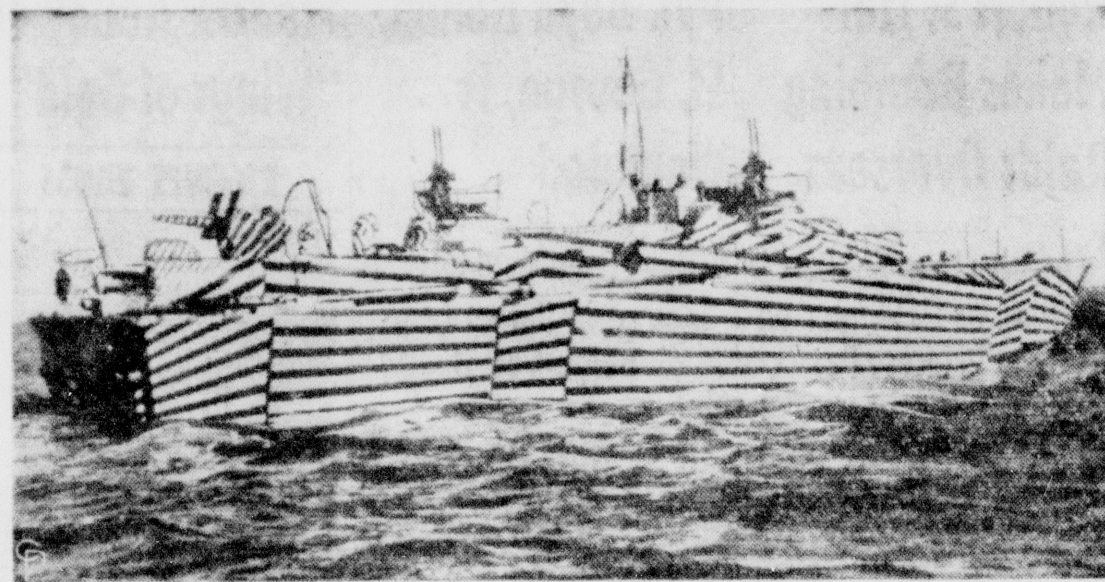
Cost of Relief Shows Increase

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (AP)—The cost of public assistance in Maryland increased slightly last month over the figures for November, but the total remained well below that of the same month in 1942, the State Welfare department reported today.

The aggregate cost of all types of public assistance during December was reported by J. Milton Patterson, state welfare director, as \$569,674. This compared with \$587,861 during November and \$643,590 during December of 1942.

The month's figures ran the total welfare cost for the calendar year 1943 to \$7,156,417.

IT'S AN OPTICAL ILLUSION



MIRAGES usually are noted in deserts, but this sea-going eye-twister is the latest thing in PT boat disguise and will send enemy observers to their nearest oculist. It's called the Zebra, but if you can tell its nose from its tail when it's moving you'll have to be quick for the little warships are speedy and nimble.

At the beginning of 1943, the air transport command of the United States Army Air Forces operated over 90,000 miles of air routes.

Germans Evacuate Helgoland Civilians

LONDON, Jan. 20 (AP)—The Berlin radio said today that all civilians have been evacuated from Helgoland, the Germans' great North Sea island fortress of World War I which they were generally believed to have refortified later in defiance of the Versailles treaty.

Commanding the mouths of the Weser and Elbe rivers, the island lies twenty-eight miles off the northwest corner of the German mainland and is a defensive outpost for the ports and shipbuilding centers of Hamburg, Bremen and Cuxhaven and for the Kiel canal. Its population is estimated at 2,500. The island has been the target for

at least one daylight raid by RAF bombers since the beginning of World War II.

Gov. Bricker Opposes Federal Labor Draft

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 20 (AP)—Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio, a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, today termed national service legislation proposed by President Roosevelt an "attempt to extend the bureaucratic system of government and put the hand of government on every man and woman in the country."

"If there is a necessity for a national service law, the American people would carefully submit, but no necessity has been shown," Bricker added in an interview. "Certainly the service act as proposed by the president is not necessary to stop strikes. They can be stopped by simpler methods."

20 Pigeons Fall Dead in Streets

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP)—Twenty pigeons, wheeling in flight above St. Patrick's cathedral, dropped suddenly and died on the sidewalks today to the consternation of Fifth avenue strollers.

Officials of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals said there was a possibility that disease might be sweeping the hundreds of pigeons frequenting the area near the cathedral.

Police meanwhile investigated a theory that the birds might have been poisoned. A pedestrian reported he had found "red-looking seeds, like sugar-coated peanuts," on the streets nearby.

Messerschmidt Plane To Be On Exhibition

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 20 (AP)—A German Messerschmidt plane, shot down during the battle for Salerno, Italy, will be exhibited in Annapolis and Glen Burnie as part of Anne Arundel county's fourth war loan drive.

Joseph D. Lazenby, county bond-sale chairman, stated that the plane will be placed in the center of the state capital where all can see it on Jan. 28, while bonds are sold on the street corner nearby.

The rich oil field of east Texas once was given up by geologists because it had none of the surface features common to other fields.

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West Virginia To Have New Nurses' Home

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Representative Randolph (D-W.Va.) said today the War Production Board had approved priorities for construction of a nurses home at the Pines, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., where infantile paralysis victims are treated.

This action, he said, authorized the West Virginia board of control to proceed with the \$30,000 project.

The first white men to explore the Rocky Mountain region were trappers, who penetrated into the territory in 1811.

The United States, with only five percent of the world's area, has nearly one-third of the world's railroad mileage.

The abaca plant, the source of Manila rope, is now being grown successfully in Panama, Costa Rica, Honduras and Guatemala.



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Answer these questions now and for keeps! Start saving old boxes, cartons, bags, corrugated paper, newspapers, magazines. And keep right on saving them.

Ask your friends to save their share. Organize the children into paper commandos. If everybody works together, we'll be sure that no American boy will die just because paper collections lagged!

Start saving today!

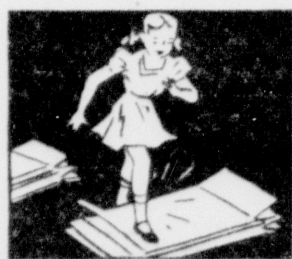
SAVE ALL WASTE PAPER SOME BOY'S LIFE



Newspapers: Fold them flat (the way the paper boy sells them) and tie them in bundles about 12 inches high.



Magazines and Books: Tie them in bundles about 12 inches high.



Corrugated and Cardboard Boxes and Cartons: Flatten them out and tie them in bundles about 12 inches high.



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IMPORTANT:

Every pound of paper is needed. To facilitate the handling of this waste paper you are urgently requested to see that your contribution is securely tied. Loosely tied or untied paper is difficult to handle and results in lost time and extra work. Please help in this. In a few days the Boys Scouts will deliver to your home a bundle of strong twine. Use it to tie up your waste paper.

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In Plane Crash**

DYERBURG, Tenn., Jan. 20 (AP)—First Lieut. George Dobbin Penniman, 3rd, of Baltimore, was among a group of eight persons killed when two Flying Fortresses from the Dyerburg army air base collided in flight last night near Gates, Tenn.

Six other flyers and a civilian employed by the army air base were killed and two other persons in-

jured in the crash, army officials reported.

George Dobbin Penniman, Jr., and Mrs. Lucy Dawson Penniman said that their son entered the armed forces immediately after being graduated from the Johns Hopkins University where he was a La-Crosse team star.

Miami's municipal car pool, set up nine months ago, is saving the city an estimated \$30,000 a year and has reduced the use of city automobiles by forty-three per cent, information to the International City Managers Association showed today.

**Police Burglar
Impresses Woman**

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (AP)—Mrs. Peggy Wesels, impressed by the courtesy of the soft-spoken burglar who robbed her apartment last night, told police today she wouldn't be surprised to receive a bread-and-butter note from him.

The considerate intruder warned Mrs. Wesels' 14-year-old daughter of his presence when she started to leave her room, promising he wouldn't be long.

"I am only going to rob the joint—place. But no outcry—if you please."

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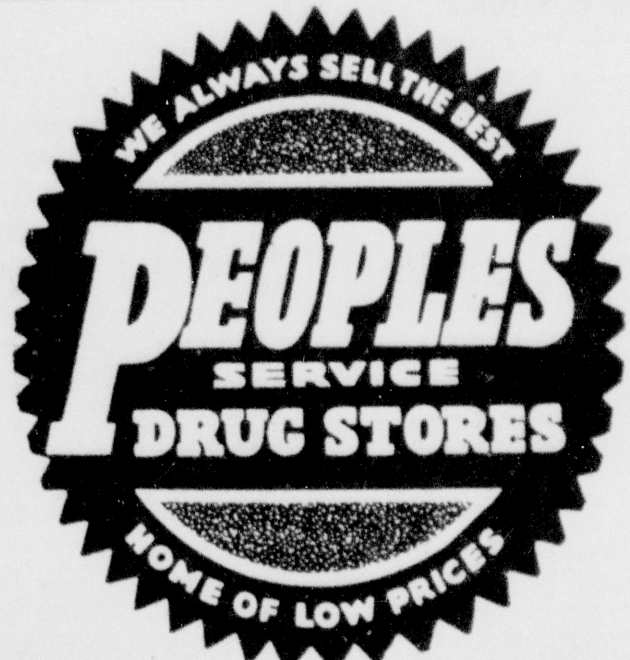
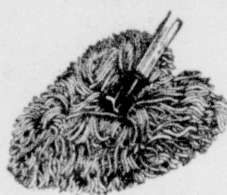
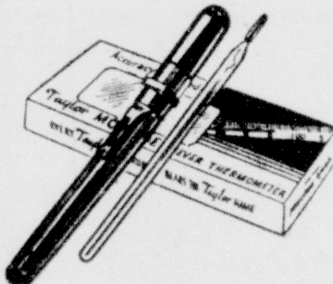
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5-Mgm.**\$1.19****Graham's
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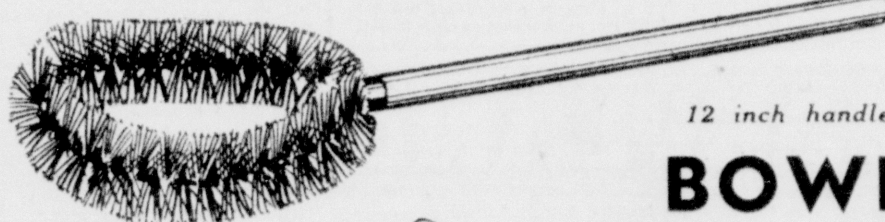
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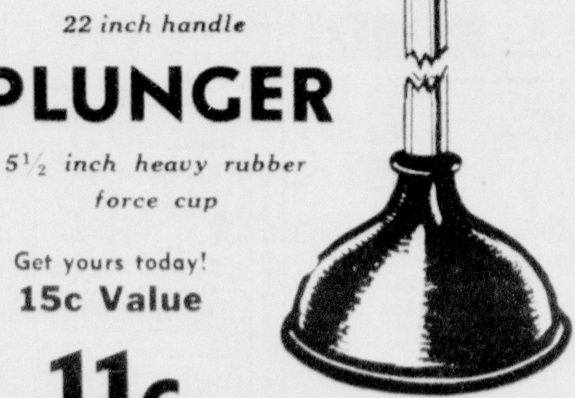
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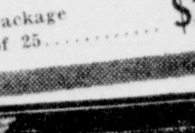
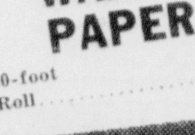
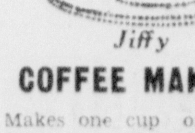
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Only... **10¢****HIND'S BEAUTY COMBINATION**Containing...
Koney & Almond Creamand Jar of
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PERFECT**PINE BATH OIL**Just a little in your tub gives a true luxury-
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Bottle... **\$1.49****Tufted or Professional types
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PROLON BRISTLES**Prolon bristles do an
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longer.For
Only **47¢****LANDER'S****LILAC DE FLEURS**Refreshing, cooling after-shave lotion with
the faint, fresh lilac fragrance than men
prefer. Refreshing after-bath idea for
women.8-Ounce
Bottle... **45¢****POPULAR DENTIFRICES**

40c Iodent Tooth Paste (bring tube).....	37c
40c Bost Tooth Paste (bring tube).....	32c
50c Forhans Tooth Paste (bring tube).....	39c
Kolynos Tooth Powder, large size.....	39c
Pebeco Tooth Paste (bring tube).....	39c
Squibb Tooth Powder, large size.....	37c
50c Ipana Tooth Paste (bring tube).....	39c
50c Pepsodent Tooth Powder, large.....	39c

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50c Conti Complexion Cream.....	45c
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Fresh, Popular

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Prince Albert

73c

Raleigh

75c

Model

69c

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75c

Pack of 20

13c

2 for 26c

Plus 1c tax

Carton of 200

\$1.26

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Fresh, Popular**CIGARETTES**Raleigh
Lucky Strike
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Yankee Senorita

BY LORENA CARLETON

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turned her head, perhaps only her eyes, to give that little haughtily amused smile of hers.

The ring of the telephone jarred the early Sunday morning hush. The region around Mallory's heart

felt warm and sweet. Yet she pretended to be asleep when Prisms came in to summon her. Usually she would have called out, "Who is it?" Not this time, however. She wanted every thrill connected with Carlos's first telephone call.

Prism eyed the girl. "I doubt very much if you are 'factually' sleeping. But in case you are—" Her soft tones turned to a roar. "Gen-man on the phone. The Erlsson one." The girl slid from bed and headed toward the living room with a nimbleness that made Prism mutter, "Heck, no, you wasn't sleepin'! I was right 'bout that." She muttered on, "Never know which phone to pick up in this town. I always wished they was two companies in our own country."

Many's the time I wished it, I'd show 'em. Here, I got my wish and I ain't showin' nobody nothin'! I can't even 'familiarize' myself with two phones. She leaned against the wall to listen to her mistress' conversation. Mallory Baker's voice was butter and honey. "Hello?" "Hi, princess."

She straightened indignantly. Her ears knew they were not being rewarded with the deep silver voice of Carlos, yet they could not recognize the person who spoke so intimately. "Oh!" she said again. "I must see you Mr. Blythe."

"So you told me last night. Meet me for breakfast," he commanded dryly, "at Sanborn's, in an hour." He hung up. His decree grieved the singer. For an instant she stood there holding the telephone, helpless against its deadness. No preliminaries. No "Are you free?" "Would you care to have breakfast with me?" "Could

you meet me in an hour?" None of those remarks. All the same, Mallory met him at the prescribed time. Armando drove her to the old House of Tiles—now Sanborn's famous establishment—and parked nearby to wait. Richard Blythe's greeting was so pleasant that it glossed over his recent curtness and forced the girl to greet him in fully as pleasant a manner. They sat down and ordered warm sweet rolls, fresh strawberries

and cream, hot chocolate. The kind that is flavored with cinnamon and beaten to a froth with a wooden beater. "Now," Richard Blythe finally asked, leaning toward Mallory, "what's the trouble?" Just then his eyes swerved past her. A grin lifted his mouth. His voice, when he spoke, held that lightness directed toward persons often contacted. He said, "Hi, John, Hi, Bill!" (To Be Continued)

RAND'S SENSATIONAL STORE MANAGER'S

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SALE STARTS THURSDAY, JANUARY 20.....WHILE SUPPLY LASTS

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- Zipper Men's Fitted Cases
- Shoe Shine Kits
- and many others

All School Supplies cut to 3c

- Pencils
- Tablets
- Note Book Paper
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- and many others



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SHOP EARLY FOR THESE SUPER SPECIALS

BERKLEY RAZOR BLADES
CUT TO

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Full quart, cut to

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9¢

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CUT TO

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CUT TO

9¢

75¢ Doans Kidney Pill
CUT TO

49¢

WALL PLACQUES

19¢

"Special Buy" Regular \$2.98
Women's Slacks
CUT TO
98¢

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Men's All-Weather JACKETS
CUT TO
\$2.39

10c Amber Glassware
Desert Dishes, Saucers, etc.
CUT TO
4¢

Lady Fair Nail Polish Remover
(4-oz. bottle)
CUT TO
9¢

Pinaud Quinine HAIR TONIC
CUT TO
97¢

4-WAY COLD TABLETS
CUT TO
17¢

Glass Mental Inhalers
CUT TO
6¢

35c Jar of Hair Pomade
Cut To
8¢

29c ASPIRIN TABLETS
Bottle of 100
CUT TO
9¢

10c GLASS TUMBLERS
6 for
19¢

10c Lifebuoy SOAP
2 for
13¢

25c NOSE DROPS
CUT TO
9¢

5c Cup Shaving Soap
CUT TO
3¢

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3 for
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35c LATHERASE SHAVING CREAM
IN JAR
CUT TO

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HAIR PINS

CUT TO

per package 10¢

3-WAY VANITY MIRROR
CUT TO

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10c Shoe Laces
2 pairs for

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Assorted Fruit Flavored Sugar Balls

24-oz. Jar 59¢

\$1.00 SWANK MONEY CLIP

39¢

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50c Plastic Hold-A-Pack Cigarette Case 25¢

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Ludens Cough Drops, 3 for 10¢

50c Assorted Creams, Talcums and Rouge
Cut To 14¢

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CUT TO 5¢

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CUT TO 5¢

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5 DOZEN FOR

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Large Jar of Boncolla Cleansing Cream
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Plastic Funnels for Babies' Feeding

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The Tonic That Contains "Spinach"

This is a very good "tonic" for a conditioner for the body... 89¢

Metal Strainers

10¢ and 19¢

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Cut To 3¢

Mollins Permahent Wave Set

59¢

IVORY SOAP

MEDIUM CUT TO 6¢

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POWDER CUT TO 23¢

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POWDER CUT TO 23¢

Beall-Central Clash Holds WMIL Spotlight; AHS Plays Bruce Here

Fort Hill Invades Barton; Two Valley Conference Battles on Tap

With the Allegany High Campers and the Fort Hill Sentinels decided favorites to score victories in Western Maryland Interscholastic League games tonight, the WMIL spotlight will be focused on the clash between the undefeated Beall High Mountaineers and the Central High Flying Tigers at Lonaconing. All three games will start at 8 o'clock.

Although Beall has won two straight loop battles and Central has met defeat in both of its league engagements, tonight's scrap shapes up as a close one with the Mountaineers probably holding a slight edge.

Coach "Jake" Carrington's Frostburg crew, after opening its loop campaign with an easy victory over Bruce, edged out Fort Hill 26-25 at Frostburg Tuesday night to remain in a first-place tie with Allegany, which kept pace by turning back Central, 33-26, at Lonaconing. The Tigers, in their WMIL bid, had dropped a 23-20 battle to Fort Hill.

AHS Seeks Tenth Win in Row
The Allegany-Bruce affair will be the second and final contest staged on a local court this week. The West Siders should mark up their tenth consecutive victory of the season at the expense of the West-sport crew, which has won three while losing six.

Fort Hill's loss to Beall shoved the Sentinels out of the 500 column but a victory tonight at Barton would give the Hilltoppers a record of five triumphs and as many reverses. Barton registered its first victory in five starts this season on Tuesday night when it won over Bruce to tie the Sentinels for third place in the WMIL standing.

Cliff Pearer will referee the contest at Lonaconing. Mel "Newt" Henry will handle the clash at Campobello and Fred "Tack" Clark will officiate at Barton.

Six other games, including a pair of Potomac Valley Conference encounters, appear on tonight's program. In the conference scraps, Romney High's Pioneers will entertain the Moorefield High Yellow Jackets at Romney, W. Va., and Capon Bridge and Mathias will exchange baskets at Mathias, W. Va.

Paw Paw at Ridgeley
Romney, which suffered its first defeat of the season on Monday night when it bowed to Keyser's classy Golden Tornado outfit, and the Yellow Jackets, who have lost twice in ten outings this season, appear evenly-matched. The Capon Bridge-Mathias battle should also be a close one.

Tonight's other contests are Paw Paw at Ridgeley, Davis at Tygart's Valley, Coalton at Parsons and Oakland at Elk Garden.

Ridgeley has been idle since last Friday but should take the measure of Paw Paw. The Blackhaws have won their last three games for a

CAGE QUIZ



- 1—What are maximum dimensions of the playing court?
- 2—There are six officials for a basketball game. Name them.
- 3—May a team play with less than five players?

ANSWERS

- 1—Ninety-four feet in length and 50 feet in width.
- 2—Referee, umpire, two time-keepers, two scorers.
- 3—A team must begin with five players but if it has no substitutes to replace disqualified players it must continue with less than five.

season record of four victories and a defeat. Paw Paw has topped four while dropping six.

Davis High's Wildcats have annexed two of eight with one of their two victories coming at the expense of Tygart's Valley in the first meeting. Parsons was shoved out of the undefeated column earlier this week losing to Belington for its first loss in nine games.

Tomorrow night's lone tussle will find Beall's Mountaineers and Keyser hooking up in what should be a slam-bang battle at Keyser.

Navy Sport Teams Face Busy Weekend

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 20 (AP)—The Navy wrestling team will take over the spotlight on the Middle's Saturday sports card this week as the Tar basketball squad rests on its record of two wins and one defeat until next Wednesday.

Despite a 32-0 shutout in their opening match of the season over the University of North Carolina, the Navy grapplers have held heavy practice sessions during the week in preparation for Saturday night's test with the University of Pennsylvania.

Tar Coach Ray Swartz will be pitting his squad against a strong team since Penn boasts a 25-13 win over Columbia — the Lions being no pushover in any man's league.

Coach Clovis Deladier will send his fencing team into action for their first meet of the year against the Philadelphia fencers club while the Varsity swimming team, sporting wins over Penn State and Swarthmore, entertains undefeated North Carolina.

Though the Varsity basketball team will enjoy a holiday, the Middle court will not be quiet as the Tar Jayvee quintet faces the Annapolis Yacht Yard in a Friday afternoon clash and the Plebe cagers play host to the Baltimore Polytechnic high school.

Poly has a record of fifteen wins and two losses so far this season and the Plebes, despite victories in their first two meets will be up against determined opposition.

The Plebe natators will precede the varsity swimming squad in the Navy pool, also entertaining Poly. This will be the first test for both squads.

Parsons Juniors Win

PARSONS, W. Va., Jan. 20—The Parsons high school basketball team defeated the Hamilton five in a close game in Parsons, Wednesday night by a score of 28 to 24.

Gilmore, Parsons forward, was the offensive star for his team scoring twenty points while Gilbert, Hamilton forward, was second with sixteen points.

Hickory Nuts, Buckeyes Win Y Loop Games

Walnut Quint Trims Peanuts and Beechnuts Down Chestnuts

SENIOR "Y" NUT LEAGUE STANDING OF CLUBS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Hickory Nuts	2	0	1.000
Buckeyes	2	0	1.000
Hazel Nuts	1	1	.500
Brazil Nuts	1	1	.500
Chestnuts	0	2	.000
Walnuts	0	2	.000

JUNIOR "Y" NUT LEAGUE STANDING OF CLUBS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Walnuts	2	0	1.000
Peanuts	1	1	.500
Beechnuts	1	1	.500
Chestnuts	0	2	.000

The Hickory Nuts and Buckeyes held on to their first place tie in the Y. M. C. A. Senior Nut Basketball League Wednesday night with the Hickory Nut five pasting the Walnut aggregation, 31-9, and the Buckeyes trouncing the Brazil Nuts, 33-9.

In Junior Nut League games played in the afternoon, the Walnut quint outscored the Peanuts, 14-10, and the Beechnuts eked out a 13-11 win over the Chestnuts. J. Stotler accounted for all the points of the Chestnut five. The lineups:

HICKORY NUTS	G.	F.G.	Pts.
Walters, f.	3	3-5	6
Burns, f.	3	0-0	0
Hager, c.	4	1-1	2
Armbruster, f.	5	0-0	0
LeFevre, g.	1	0-0	0
Totals	16	3-6	8

BUCKEYES	G.	F.G.	Pts.
E. Polk, f.	3	0-0	0
Riason, f.	2	2-4	4
J. Bachman, c.	3	2-2	4
Lipinski, f.	2	1-1	2
T. Jamison, g.	4	0-1	0
Totals	14	3-8	6

WALNUTS	G.	F.G.	Pts.
G. Ready, f.	0	0-0	0
Burns, f.	3	0-0	0
R. Hillery, c.	0	1-1	2
Proudfoot, f.	0	1-1	2
Lipinski, f.	1	1-2	2
B. Leonard, sub.	1	0-0	0
Totals	5	2-4	4

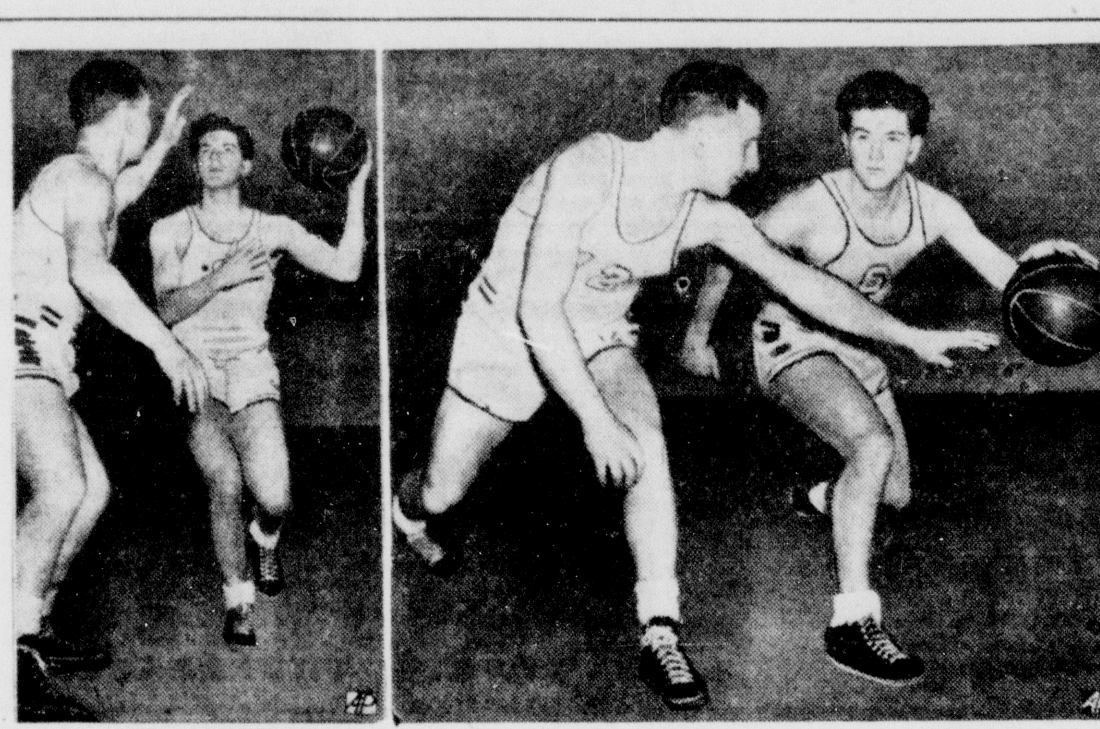
BEECHNUTS	G.	F.G.	Pts.
J. Weaver, f.	1	0-0	0
B. Clark, f.	0	0-0	0
C. Walker, c.	0	0-0	0
D. Davis, f.	2	1-1	2
M. Mull, g.	0	0-0	0
Totals	3	1-1	2

CHESTNUTS	G.	F.G.	Pts.
J. Stotler, f.	3	3-3	6
A. Sikes, f.	0	0-0	0
B. Stotler, c.	0	0-0	0
J. Stotler, g.	0	0-0	0
D. Everette, g.	0	0-0	0
Totals	3	3-3	6

PEANUTS	G.	F.G.	Pts.
P. Gammon, f.	0	0-0	0
W. Abrams, f.	0	0-0	0
P. Corbin, f.	1	1-3	2
J. Shore, g.	0	0-0	0
J. Deetz, g.	0	0-0	0
Totals	1	1-3	2

WALNUTS	G.	F.G.	Pts.
G. Layman, f.	3	0-3	0
R. Rice, f.	0	0-0	0
B. Murry, c.	2	0-2	0
C. Deetz, g.	0	0-0	0
C. Kinney, g.	1	1-3	2
D. Ruhl, sub.	2	0-1	0
Totals	8	1-6	2

FRESHMAN SCORING STAR IN ACTION



HERE'S ALBIE INGERMAN, Temple University's basketball sensation, in action. The set shot expert, who has averaged thirteen points in the Owls' first seven games, is shown feinting his opponent out of position by faking a shot, then starting his dribble to pass his guard.

The SPORT TRAIL

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP)—We have just previewed a picture called "kings of the ring," a thirty-five-year skeletonized history of prize fighting, and for those who like to muse on the greatness of their two-fisted heroes and to relive the thrills of famous battles it is recommended.

The flickering saga deals mostly with the heavyweight ranks, and shows every champion in action from Tommy Burns to Joe Louis, but there is a scattering of action in the lighter divisions. Where they dug up that 1907 film of Burns knocking out Bill Squires is a mystery, but it isn't so bad, and Burns seemed to handle himself pretty well for a gent who usually is shrugged off as sort of a cheese champion.

The picture will revive many an argument, as the spectator can make his own comparisons and form his own opinions as to who could best whom.

Personally, we came away with the idea that Joe Louis is the best of the lot. That is the Joe Louis of the second Louis-Max Schmeling battle, when the bomber was a study in controlled, devastating fury.

Oddly enough, we also got the idea that of all the other champions shown — Burns, Jack Johnson, Jess Willard, Jack Dempsey, Gene Tunney, Max Schmeling, Jack Sharkey, Primo Camera, Max Baer and Jim Braddock — Johnson would have caused Louis the most trouble.

Johnson was shown against an over-stuffed middleweight, Stanley Ketchel, but despite Johnson's obvious physical advantages he left the impression of being able to take care of himself in any situation. The very manner in which, after being knocked down in the twelfth round, he leaped up and ended the fight with one punch showed the tremendous resources of the man.

Dempsey is shown in several battles. There is the tigerish Dempsey of the Luis Firpo contest, in which Firpo was down and up like a window shade, and Dempsey himself was popped from the ring. There is the determined but more plodding Dempsey of the two Tunney fights with the brief, fleeting flare of the old fire as he knocked down Tunney for the long count. There is a tired but rallying Dempsey clipping Sharkey on the chin as Sharkey turned to protest a claimed low punch, and then picking up the Bostonian, totting him to his corner and dumping him unceremoniously.

For the most methodical job of artistic sharpshooting we think Tunney's job on Georges Carpentier takes the prize, and for a master burlesque on the manly art the Max Baer-Tony Galento what-was-it is in a class by itself. As one observer remarked: "That will set boxing back fifty years."

An effort was made to include the highlights or disputed incidents in all the major bouts, and not many of these have been missed, from Schmeling winning the crown from Sharkey while resting on the seat of his pants to Tunney's long count.

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Parker Hopes He Can Set New Records

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 20 (AP)—Flyin' Charley Parker, the blond bullet of Texas schoolboy track, doesn't promise that he'll better any of his marks this year but ventures that if he does it will be because of added height.

Charley won't have to surpass his 1943 performances much to hang up world records. He already is national scholastic 220-yard king with a 20.6 seconds timing and he has raced the 100 in 9.5.

"If I better any of my 1943 records, I would say a lengthened stride caused by added height would be accountable," said the "Pony Express," now in his final season at Thomas Jefferson high school.

Parker is 17-years-old, five feet nine and one-half inches tall and has gained exactly one pound over last year, weighing in at 147.

Charley hasn't lost a dash race in two years and has thirty-seven straight victories to his credit.

Bainbridge Team Is Seeking Revenge

BAINBRIDGE, Md., Jan. 20 (AP)—The Bainbridge Naval Training Station basketball team will be all out for revenge when it invades Norfolk Naval Training Station and the Norfolk Naval Air Station, respectively.

Both Virginia service teams handed the Commodore beatings early this month—practically the only lickings the Bainbridge crew suffered all season.

Coach Jack Williams announced twelve Commodore courtmen would make the trip but that big Ken Corley, high scoring forward, would have to be left behind. He is hospitalized at Bainbridge.

Williams plans to start Johnny Norlander at center, Don Durand and Hal Lambert at guards and Al Brightman and Jim Murdaugh at the forwards.

Woman Kegler Rolls 300 Game

CLEVELAND, Jan. 20 (AP)—Marge Slogar, 30-year-old war worker, bowled a perfect game in league competition last night, the third woman to roll 300 in the United States this season.

She holds the Ohio women's singles and all-events titles and shares the doubles crown.

Ski Meet Will Be Held in Ball Park

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—Sport fans will be going out to the ball park again Sunday — to see a ski tournament.

The Norge Ski Club's attraction will hold the sports spotlight for the next two Sundays and will draw 40 top-line contestants, headed by Serg. Torger Tokle, of Brooklyn, who holds the national ski-jumping record of 289 feet.

Banbridge Will Play In Tourney

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 20 (AP)—The Raleigh Exchange Club will conduct invitational servicemen's basketball tournament here January 28-29.

Wesner Chamblee, tourney chairman, said these teams had entered: Fort Jackson, S. C.; Fort Benning, Ga.; the Charleston, S. C., Coast Guard Station; Cherry Point Marine; Fort Bragg Reception center; the Richmond, Va., Army Air Base; Camp Mackall; Boca Raton Field, Fla.; the Maxton, N. C., Air Base, and the Bainbridge, Md., Naval Air Station.

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Baseball Expansion Is Discussed by Branch Rickey

Dodger Boss Is Ready To Fight for "Chain Store" System of Game

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP)—Branch Rickey, a man of many words, left a lot of things unsaid at a press conference today but he also said enough to convince a group of reporters that he is ready to put up a fight for "chain store" baseball if it becomes necessary.

After giving off a few preliminary sparks yesterday when he said that Baseball Commissioner K. M. Landis is not interested in the extension of baseball, Rickey kept the fireworks under cover today while he discussed the shortage of good ball players and the difficulty of getting them to sign contracts.

Would Limit Discussion

When someone finally brought up the question of whether the controversy over the farm system will be revived when the Major-Minor League agreement is re-written this year, the originator of the chain idea looked out the window a moment and replied: "I suppose it will."

"I should like to limit the discussions of the postwar planning committee to the re-alignment of leagues. Its about baseball as a whole; the existence of leagues under a better setup than they have had before. I would say there is a concentration of opponents of the farm system on the committee."

Rickey said he had just two statements to make on that subject: "One, the farm system is not altogether a result of effort on the part of the higher classification clubs but resulted partly from the needs of clubs in the lower classes. Two, the rehabilitation of the Minors does not rest on theories. The leagues will exist or not exist. They can exist only because they're properly financed. Judge Bramham (W. G. Bramham, president of the National Association) is as good a source as you can go to in order to find out if financing can be done by local capital in inexperienced hands."

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Women's Pro Golf Association May Be Organized

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By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN
CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—Spar Betty Hicks, who wants to organize a women's professional golfers association of America, said today she favored holding the meets with the men's and having a winter tour as well as a summer program.

Miss Hicks, who won the duration National Amateur Championship in 1941 and then turned pro, is taking the lead in promoting the women's pro idea, which may be one of the big developments in the expected resurgence of sports after the war.

The California golfers' proposed women's organization, closely following the pattern of the Men's PGA, is favored also by Marjorie Patty Berg of Minneapolis.

"We will need about twenty-five members to start out," said Spar Hicks, who is using a furlough to lay some of the groundwork of her plan. "You would be surprised how many women pro golfers there really are. Many of them work at driving ranges."

"In the service, I've seen the need for physical training after the war. The women's PGA will help to promote conditioning through golf. Many of the girls in service now realize their mistake of skirting on a cool porch playing bridge instead of competing in some sport."

Main purposes of the feminine PGA will be:

1. Promotion of golf among women through exhibitions and demonstrations. Physical education teachers on schools who instruct their classes in golf fundamentals will become auxiliary members.

2. Provision of wide-range tournament program. In order to guarantee a representative field, the tournaments would have to be "open" affairs, making both pros and amateurs eligible.

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19 N. Centre St. Open Evenings

SMALL WOOD lathe \$18, dress form \$6. Phone 1757-J. 1-20-11-T

GAS RANGE, side oven. Apply 300 Magruder St. 1-20-31-T

GOOD TIMOTHY hay, \$25 ton. Phone 3162-J. 1-20-11-T

3 SHELF GLASS door bookcase, 818 Gephart Drive, second floor. 1-21-31-N

MIXMASTER, console table and 5 steel venetian blinds, all practically new. Phone 3875-R. 1-21-11-N

FRESH COW, Charles Babb, Phone Flinton 178. 1-21-11-T

REMINGTON typewriter, \$35. Phone 818. 1-21-11-N

25 GUINEAS, cow, heifer, W. E. Ruckman, Wiley Ford, W. Va. 1-21-31-N

28-A—Florists
FLOWERS, BOPPS, Phone 2582. 10-17-11-T

Funeral Flowers
RenRoy Gardens
LaVale Phone 3848-W

29—Furniture, Stoves
USED FURNITURE, Miller's, 317 Virginia. 1-6-11-T

31—Help Wanted
STATE EMPLOYMENT COMMISSIONER
22 Light St., Balto.-2, Md.
NOTICE OF VACANCIES
Public Relations Assistant;
Stenographer-Accounting;
Case Supervisor
Closing date, January 31, 1944
W. D. OWENS, Commissioner 1-14-21-Fri-N

32—Help Wanted—Female
WANTED—Housekeeper, two children, no cooking or laundry, white, live-in. Reference. Write Box 880-A. % Times-News. 1-15-11-T

GIRL or woman for general housework, two or three days a week. Apply 504 Oldtown Road or Phone 2764-J. 1-19-31-T

GIRL FOR general housework, \$15 week. Write Box 895-A. % Times-News. 1-19-31-T

37—Musical Instruments

Musical Instruments
Records & Sheet Music
Complete line at:
The Music Shop
5-7 S. Liberty St. Phone 3230

38—Lost and Found
LOST—Bunch of keys in new black key case between Crystal Laundry and Roy L. Minke's, Christie Road. Please call 2198-W or 3076. Reward. 1-19-31-N

LOST—#4 ration book, Edward C. Green, return 307 Grand Ave. 1-19-21-T

LOST — #3 ration book, Etta M. Miller, and #4 Alvin J. Layman. 1-20-21-N

LOST — #4 ration book, Mrs. Betty J. Stewart, Frostburg. 1-20-21-N

LOST — Six #3 and #4 ration books, Frank Early. 1-20-21-N

LOST—Four #3 ration books, Rose Hyde, Moscow, Md. 1-20-21-T

LOST — "A" gas ration book, Edward Wright, 317 Henderson Ave. 1-21-21-N

LOST — Skis. Reward. Phone 1506-M. 605 Fairview Ave. 1-21-11-N

39—Miscellaneous
WELDING
All types, Acetylene and Arc. Anything. Anytime. Anyplace. H. & S. Plumbing & Heating Co. Authorized Dealers in Airco Gases and Equipment. 128 Park Street. Phone 2040

BLOCK LAYING, cement work, W. A. McKinney, 148 Bedford St. Phone 3013-W. 3485. 1-28-11-T

CARPENTER repair work. Phone 2042-W. 12-20-31-T

REFRIGERATION and washer repairs. General Repair Shop, 43 Henderson Ave. Phone 3978-R. 12-29-11-T

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, recharging. Fire Prevention Service. Frank Cresap. Phone 278-W-3. 1-21-31-T

40—Metal Weatherstripping
"WE DEFY THE ELEMENTS"
DELIANCE WEATHERSTRIP CO.
Frederick C. Haas. Phone 2063

41—Moving, Storage
JOHN APPEL TRANSFER, Local and Long Distance Moving. Phone 1623. 1-3-11-T

MOVING TO and from Baltimore. Phone 388. 6-16-11-T

42—Painting, Paperhanging
PAPERHANGING, Joe Barnhill. Phone 3670. 4-17-11-T

47—Real Estate For Sale
EIGHT ROOMS, modern, 142 Bedford St. 1-6-11-T

48—Roofing, Spouting

ROOFING, spouting, sheet metal work, warm air heating, air conditioning. Call Twigg 3362-R. 1-11-11-T

51—Wanted to Buy
WE PAY HIGHEST prices for all makes sewing machines. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 77 N. Centre St. Phone 394. 8-2-11-T

LET ONE CALL
SELL IT ALL
We pay cash for used furniture and appliances. Let us give you an estimate. Prices Furniture Exchange. 79 N. Centre St. Phone 2732-W. 1-19-31-T

WANTED — Rabbits, 4 pounds up. Shober's Restaurant, Phone 925. 8-3-11-N

Scrap Iron, Metals
HIGHEST PRICES
Beerman Auto Wreckers
153 Wincow St. Phone 2770

HIGHEST CASH prices paid for good used furniture. Home Furnishing Corp., 128 Bedford St. Phone 3941-R. 9-9-11-T

CONSOLES, small radios. Phone 4504-J. 1-18-31-T

WANTED—Used grand piano. Phone 1908. 1-19-11-T

54—Situations Wanted
PRACTICAL NURSES registry. Phone 1861-M. 12-2-11-T

WANTED — Housekeeping, adult home, or for widower. Elizabeth Mauk, Elmwood Inn, Bedford, Pa. 1-19-21-T

53—Wanted To Rent
MARRIED COUPLE desires large room with kitchenette facilities or small bungalow on or before May 15. West Side location. Write Box 898-A. % Times-News. 1-21-41-F.Su.Tu,Th-N

Navajos Live In Brave's Art

By FRANK PITMAN
AP Features
WINDOW ROCK, Ariz.—Gerald Naylor is an Indian who has found a use for brightly-colored paints other than smearing them on his face.

He spreads them on the walls of buildings in historical murals of heroic dimensions which have attracted nation-wide attention.

The 26-year-old Navajo recently completed his most ambitious assignment—depicting the history of his people in war and peace on the walls of the Navajo tribal council house in Window Rock. The task was begun in May, 1942.

With an Apache youth, Allen Hauser, descendant of Geronimo, he painted murals for the Indian arts and crafts room and another section of the new interior department building in Washington, D. C.

The Window Rock murals were applied directly to the council hall walls by a comparatively new dry fresco method. They cover the entire wall and trace the development of the Navajo tribe through many generations.

Only Naylor's accomplishments and his tribal name—the Navajos call him Toh-Yah, or Walking by a River—reflect the artist.

The young Navajo is one of a group of Indian artists who have been educated, encouraged and employed by the education division of the Indian service to develop their native gifts of painting.

He has twin ambitions: to reopen a studio at Santa Fe and to spend the rest of his life painting.

His murals are heroic

Scientists have found that food oil can be obtained from orange seeds.

The rain dance of the Hopi Indians is a ceremony more than 2,000 years old.

Cuba has produced as much as 5,000,000 pounds of sugar in one year.

55—Debt Notices
I WILL NOT be responsible for any debt other than those contracted for by myself.
(Signed) JOHN R. MATEER,
83 Grant St., Frostburg, Md.
1-20-11-Th-Tu

Thomas Frankenberg and Elmina Haines Frankenberg, his wife, et al., vs. Samuel A. Frankenberg and Elsie Leisher Frankenberg, his wife, et al., in the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland.
ORDER NISI
Ordered this 19th day of January, 1944, that the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland, sitting in Equity, that the sale made and reported in the above case by the Master, Harry Trustar, be confirmed, and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 21st day of February, 1944, provided, that this order be published in some newspaper published in Allegany County once a week for three successive weeks before the 14th day of February, 1944.

The report states the amount of sale to be Two Hundred Twenty-Five (\$225.00) Dollars.
ROBERT JACKSON Clerk.
True Copy, First
ROBERT JACKSON Clerk.
Advertisement—Jan. 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25, 1944.

Sale of Valuable Real Estate by the Mayor and Councilmen of Lonsdale
The Mayor and Councilmen of Lonsdale do hereby offer for sale at sealed bids, to be received by the Mayor and Councilmen of Lonsdale, the following described property, situate in the Town of Lonsdale, Maryland:
BEGINNING at the outline of the whole lot at the Southeast corner of the said Jackson School Lot at a stone marked A. C. 1897, and running North 78 degrees 45 minutes East 55 feet to Stone H; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked B; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to an iron pipe marked C; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked D; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked E; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked F; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked G; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked H; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked I; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked J; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked K; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked L; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked M; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked N; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked O; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked P; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked Q; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked R; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked S; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked T; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked U; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked V; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked W; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked X; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked Y; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked Z; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked A; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked B; South 78 degrees 45 minutes East 115 feet to a stone marked C; South 11 degrees 57 minutes East 32 feet to a stone marked D; South 78 degrees 45 minutes

Pittsburgh Milk Law Is Expounded By James A. Haag

Dr. W. R. Frantz Indicts Raw Milk; Seminar Will Close Today

Pittsburgh's milk law, which provides that nothing be sold but the pasteurized product, is the only means of controlling epidemics caused by raw milk, James A. Haag, milk inspector for the Pennsylvania city, told delegates attending the United States Public Health Service milk seminar yesterday at city hall.

The speaker strongly recommended elimination of raw milk from all markets to rid the country of milk-borne diseases. He stated that the trend throughout the country is toward pasteurized milk and urged all state health departments to adopt regulations that would assure all consumers being supplied with pasteurized milk.

Haag was among the eight speakers who appeared on the afternoon program on the third day of the four-day seminar.

Diseases Disappear

Featuring the morning program was a one-hour talk by Dr. Winter R. Frantz, county and city health officer, who declared that two years before the present milk and water supplies were put into service Cumberland had the largest death rate from typhoid fever for any city in the United States.

"Today, typhoid and undulant fevers have practically disappeared from the city," he said.

Dr. Frantz stressed the fact that state milk regulations have been amended in order to protect the public against possible infection with undulant fever, effective January 1, 1945.

"It is believed that the enforcement of these regulations will greatly reduce the incidence of undulant fever which occurs in human beings as a result of drinking the unpasteurized milk of cows infected with Bangs disease, the speaker said.

Speaking on the subject "Milk-Borne Diseases and Their Transmission," Dr. Frantz first enumerated the diseases, listed the epidemics over a span of forty years and then said that each of the milk-borne outbreaks listed by the United States Public Health Service in its report for 1938 was caused by the use of raw milk.

Indicts Raw Milk

"This and a host of other data make a strong indictment against the use of raw milk," he said. "Today milk-borne outbreaks occur characteristically in the small unpasteurized supplies."

"Diseases that may be spread by milk include: tuberculosis, typhoid and paratyphoid fevers, food infections, diphtheria, scarlet fever, septic sore throat, undulant fever, foot and mouth disease, milk sickness, summer complaints of children, diarrhea, and dysentery among adults, epidemic arthritic erythema and infantile paralysis."

542 Die in 10 Years

Milk-borne outbreaks reported by state and local health authorities of the United States for the ten-year period, 1926 to 1935, numbered 498 and involved 17,501 persons. Total number of deaths is 542.

Other speakers on the Thursday morning program were John Liebau, of the Embassy Dairy, Inc., Washington, D. C., who led a discussion on "Pasteurization Procedure Control," and Don Summers, of Charleston, W. Va., who spoke on "Pasteurization Plants and Their Design."

Opening the series of afternoon discussions was L. E. Bober, representative of Babson Brothers and Company, Chicago, who pointed out that milk machines must be (Continued on Page 10, Col. 2)

Frost Exonerated In Fatal Accident

State's Attorney Concludes Investigation in Sled-ding Death

Charles Frost, 225 Cole street, was exonerated yesterday by State's Attorney Morgan C. Harris in the death of Walter H. Baker, Jr., 14 son of Pvt. and Mrs. Walter H. Baker, Sr., 1001 Shad's lane, who died Wednesday night in Allegheny hospital thirty minutes after he crashed against the side of Frost's automobile while sledding on Cole street.

Harris, after questioning witnesses, said there was no evidence of criminal negligence, but added that "Frost may be properly said to have acted heedlessly and thoughtlessly in leaving his car even momentarily in the street."

Frost was backing his car out of a garage on Cole street when the fatal accident occurred, but told police the car was not in motion at the time.

Baker, sledding down the hill crashed against the left running board of Frost's car. He died of a broken neck and also suffered a fractured skull.

Baker's father, who has been in the army a short time, arrived home yesterday from Camp Croft, S. C. The family moved here about two months ago from Williamsport, Pa.

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CELANESE HONOR ROLL—Paying tribute to its male and female employees serving in the armed forces in World War II, the Celanese Corporation of America has erected this huge honor roll at Amelle. Attracting wide attention, this board at the present time contains the names of 3,590 male employees and fifty-two female employees who have answered the call of Uncle Sam. The board, 70 by 12 feet, is made of wood throughout and was erected by the George F. Hazelwood Company to a design furnished by the plant engineering department.

Commerce Group To Assist in Wastepaper Drive

Plans Are Furthered for Membership Meeting on February 7

Chamber of commerce directors were asked by its Salvage committee at the monthly meeting of the former last evening to help seek workers and trucks for the wastepaper drive to be conducted the afternoon of January 30 throughout the city.

Thirty trucks and 200 men are needed for proper coverage as the paper must be loaded at once and cannot be stored and loaded at a later time as is the case with other salvage collections.

So far seventeen trucks have been offered and only a fraction of the needed help has been listed.

United States Employment Service registration as of January 15 was reported at 1,170, a low record. This compares with a total of 1,215 reported for December 15.

Plans were furthered for the membership meeting to be held February 24. It is hoped to present a program on postwar planning based on the survey now being made and on the report of the engineers who are employed by the Planning commission, due February 7.

The Postwar Planning committee of the chamber is proceeding with the survey of postwar activities in Cumberland. Questionnaires are being sent out to approximately 1,000 business establishments by a subcommittee under the direction of Joseph C. Whitesel.

A report on the world peace referendum conducted by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States showed a vote of 1,927 to 8 by affiliates in favor of the declaration for an international political organization for the maintenance of peace and security; and a vote of 1,828 to 71 on the declaration that this peace and security may be best safeguarded by the use of the armed forces of the peace-loving nations acting through the combined chiefs of staff organization developed to meet future conditions.

The local chamber voted in favor of both declarations.

Correction

A deed for the transfer of property on Fayette street from Edwin T. and Margaret W. Dixon to the Community Building and Loan Association was not among real estate transactions reported filed for record on Tuesday. The news regrets the error.

Scouts To Distribute 180,000 Feet of Twine For Wastepaper Drive

Kenneth E. Jackson, scout executive of Potomac council, Boy Scouts of America, assisted by scouts of Troops No. 6 and 13, yesterday were busily engaged in preparing twine which will be distributed at 10,000 Cumberland homes prior to the wastepaper collection drive scheduled for Sunday, January 30.

The twine will be attached to tags upon which instructions for the wrapping of newspapers and magazines are given.

Two nine-foot lengths of twine will be left at the door of each home visited by the scouts. Jackson estimated that 20,000 pieces equivalent to 180,000 feet of twine will be distributed to Cumberland homes.

Scouts will start their tour of the city tomorrow and will conclude their work next week.

Celanese Plant Has One Fighting Man for Every Two Now Employed

3,590 Males Are in Service; Women Take 1,783 Jobs Vacated by Men

The Cumberland plant of the Celanese Corporation of America at the end of 1943 had 3,590 of its male employees serving in the armed forces, or the equivalent of more than one fighting man for every two working men.

Names of those serving in the various branches of the service are inscribed on the huge, attractive Honor Roll which occupies a conspicuous place on the plant site.

In addition, fifty-two female employees have enlisted, raising the total of persons in service to 3,642.

A singular feature of the situation at the Celanese plant is the fact that of the entire male payroll of 6,462, only sixty-seven single men of draft status in critical occupations have been deferred, subject to call after six months.

Another interesting item is the fact that more and more women are being found to replace men in positions at the plant.

At the end of last year 1,783 jobs, or approximately half of the 3,590 vacated by men, have been filled by women.

Lieut. Hazel Johnson Becomes Local WAC Recruiting Officer

Lieut. Hazel M. Johnson, formerly stationed at Winchester, Va., arrived here yesterday to begin her duties as officer in charge of the local WAC recruiting station. Lieut. Johnson replaces Lieut. Margaret N. Diehl who reported to the Baltimore WAC recruiting station. She came here as officer in charge of the local station in September.

Lieut. Diehl will be the assistant to Capt. Virginia E. Cournoyer, Baltimore WAC recruiter. A native of Spokane, Wash., Lieut. Johnson enlisted in the Women's Army Corps in New York April 4. Her husband, Ensign Eugene C. Johnson, is at present taking a special training course at Princeton university following ten months combat duty in the Mediterranean area.

She received her basic training at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and attended officer's candidate school at Des Moines, Iowa.

Smith-Cifala Damage Suit Is Settled Out of Court

At the conclusion of testimony given before a jury yesterday, suit for damages brought by Ellery D. Smith, of the Flintstone section, against Lacy Cifala was settled out of court.

The action, which opened the civil docket of the January term of court, grew out of an auto accident July 9, 1943, when Cifala was alleged to have rammed Smith's car on the Baltimore pike. Smith asked \$500 damages.

Estel C. Kelley was attorney for Smith while the defendant was represented by William A. Gunter.

Schlosberg Enters Used Car Business

Allen Schlosberg, owner and operator of the Cumberland Home Improvement Company before entering the army, and who was honorably discharged with the rank of staff sergeant, is entering the used car business at 838 North Mechanic street. After coming out of the army Schlosberg worked as a safety inspector for the Kelly Engineering Company.

Cumberland Boy Scout Qualifies For Eagle Award

Edward Collins Will Be Recipient at Court of Honor Scout Week

Passing examinations for life saving and pioneering merit badges at a board of review held by Cumberland district, Boy Scouts of America, this week, Edward Collins, of Troop No. 6, of St. Peter and Paul church, qualified for an eagle scout award, which will be presented at a court of honor during the observance of Boy Scout week, February 8 to 14.

Only two other eagle scouts are registered in Cumberland district while a total of thirteen are listed in Potomac Council.

A boy seeking eagle scout honors must qualify for twenty-one merit badges. He must have a record of satisfactory service for a period of at least six months and must earnestly try to develop leadership ability.

Other boys qualifying for awards include:

SECOND CLASS — Jimmie Dietz, Troop No. 7, Rotary Club.

FIRST CLASS — James Miller, Troop No. 6, St. Peter and Paul church.

STAR — Fred T. Small, Troop No. 4, Centre Street Methodist church.

MERIT BADGES — Leo McKenzie, Troop No. 6, electricity; Jerry Swan, Troop No. 13, First Presbyterian church, first aid, bugling, reading and personal health; Charles Piper, Troop No. 13, Public health, safety and personal health; Robert Myers, Troop No. 15, Fort Hill high school, athletics and safety.

The board of review was conducted by Walter C. Patzig assisted by George Mahaney, D. E. Triebler, Robert Myers, Harold E. Messman, Jr., Arch Hutcheson and Edward Nield.

Rail Traffic Blocked By Freight Wreck

Twenty-one Cars Are Derailed on Western Maryland near Frederick

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 (AP)—Derailment of twenty-one freight cars near Deerfield, Frederick county, on the single-track Cumberland-Baltimore run of the Western Maryland railroad probably will tie up traffic until tomorrow morning, company officials reported tonight.

The accident occurred about 2:45 p. m. at a grade crossing, they said, where a section of rail about nine feet long had been broken off, evidently from the effects of the cold weather.

Wrecking crews rushed from Baltimore and Hagerstown worked through the night to clear the right of way.

Two passenger trains, one east and the other west bound, had to be rerouted by way of Gettysburg, while specials were sent from Baltimore as far west as Thurmont to pick up commuters.

No injuries were reported. Sixteen of the derailed cars were loaded, the company said, while five were empty.

No estimate of loss had been prepared as yet, the spokesman said.

Dunkle Will Head Frostburg Fourth War Loan Drive

Stalnaker To Speak over WTBO Today; Legion To Open Bond Booth

Appointment of Dr. John L. Dunkle as Frostburg chairman of the Fourth War Loan drive was announced last evening by Charles A. Piper, chairman of the Allegany County War Finance Committee.

Piper also announced that William B. Stalnaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stalnaker, 817 Gephart drive, who was recently commissioned a third mate in the United States Merchant Marine, will be interviewed this evening at 8 o'clock over radio station WTBO.

Stalnaker, who has made several trips to North Africa and to India, will relate some of his experiences and will speak in behalf of the Fourth War Loan drive.

The auxiliary of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, will open a bond booth in the lobby of the Strand theater today. Members of the auxiliary will be present at the booth to sell bonds.

McLuckie To Head Queen City Dairy

Succeeds Rufus Lamp Who Has Sold Farm near Airport at Wiley Ford

William T. McLuckie was elected president of the Queen City Dairy Inc., at the annual meeting of the board of directors last evening at the dairy.

McLuckie succeeds Rufus Lamp, Wiley Ford dairy farmer, whose one-year term expired.

Lamp recently sold his farm, which adjoins the Cumberland Municipal Airport, to George Arnold, of Romney, W. Va., for a consideration of approximately \$28,000. The farm comprises 329 1/2 acres. He is one of the leading milk producers of this section, supplying an average of 100 gallons a day to the local market. Lamp has failed to reveal his future plans.

W. H. Johnson, new director, was elected secretary as successor to T. J. Dawson, whose term expired. Clarence U. Llewellyn also was elected to the five-man directorship which comprises James E. Miltenberger, H. E. England and McLuckie. Edgar A. Dashiell is general manager of the Queen City Dairy.

Pvt. W. H. Newhouse Is Accidentally Shot In Hand at Marine Camp

Pvt. William H. Newhouse, 19, son of City Policeman and Mrs. John H. Newhouse, 507 Hill Top drive, is recovering in the navy hospital at Portsmouth, Va., after being accidentally shot in the left hand Saturday morning at Portsmouth.

Pvt. Newhouse is serving with the marines and his father said last night he was accidentally shot as the guard was being changed at the camp at 7:30 a. m.

The bullet from a forty-five caliber automatic revolver pierced Newhouse's hand as he was relieving the guard.

Officer Newhouse returned last night after visiting his son and said that he will remain under medical care for several months. Young Newhouse has been in service since September.

Former Newspaper Reporter Writes Of Unusual Experiences in India

Former Frostburger Sends Copy of Buddy's Letter to His Wife

EDITOR'S NOTE — The NEWS is indebted to Mrs. Frances Sluss, Frostburg, for a letter written by Corp. Francis C. Rogers, in India, on Christmas day, which was sent to her by her husband, First Sgt. W. W. Sluss, a past exalted ruler of Frostburg Elks lodge. Corp. Rogers, a former California newspaper man, and Sgt. Sluss have served together in India in the United States Army for nearly a year. The letter is one of the finest on conditions in India, and the experiences of American soldiers there that has come to the NEWS since the war started. Believing that readers of the NEWS will be interested in the letter it will be published in several installments, the first of which is as follows:

"It was extremely gratifying to hear that my last letter was so well received," Corp. Rogers wrote. "I hadn't attempted to forward a 'Chronicle' but did think that you might be interested in some of my experiences, told in an attempt to impress you much in the same manner as I was impressed.

"That first letter—like my introduction to this country—was just a beginning. Since that time I have gone a long way and have seen a great deal. At the present time those things which would interest you most, those more hair-raising experiences, cannot be told and locations cannot be disclosed.

Misses Many Things

"I hope—and a little more religiously, I pray—that before long I'll be able to sit at my desk and relate the more fascinating aspect of life, conditions and travel in this complex, stagnant pool of humanity which protrudes from the Himalayas to the equator and extends from Afghanistan to the Burmese border. I can only sigh with gratitude that Columbus missed his mark and gave us the United States instead of reaching this, his intended destination.

"The little village near the British transit camp where I was first stationed has been left behind and I rather miss it. I miss the whining chihaiwallas who woke me with hot tea in the morning. I miss the bumpy tongas, in which we could always see where we'd been. I miss riding in a rickety tonga on a dark road, with the sharp crack of the tongawallah's whip, the dull tinkle of the horse-bells, the clatter of the horses' hoofs on the rough surface of the road, and the tongawallah's dissonant, nasal chant—a discordant symphony in the darkness, with the smell of India heavy on the air.

Made Many Friends

"I miss the cinema, and the intermission for tea, the tea merchant at the cinema who joked with me and always served me first, and gave me extra cakes—and who gave me a whole time of cakes when he heard I was leaving. I miss the Cafe Royale—where dogs, cows, cats, and birds and humans all gathered for tea and cakes. I miss the friends I made on the British staff—who are so flattering in their letters, remarking that the place isn't the same since I left.

"Since then my eyes have been opened a little wider, and my perspective of life is a little broader. My memory is crammed with experiences. Extremes of tragedy, humor, poverty and starvation have passed and have been remembered. Horror, fear, drab faded rags and cold of unequalled brilliance will never be forgotten. I have experienced discomfort and what you might call hardship—which I never knew before and even less expected. These have been the most worthwhile months of my life."

(Continued Saturday)

Sherman C. Twigg Purchases Cumberland Welding Company

Sherman C. Twigg, Christie road, has purchased the Cumberland Welding Company, 122 North Mechanic street, according to a bill of sale filed for record in the clerk of court's office here yesterday.

The business was sold by William E. Bowman, of Alexandria, Va., and the bill of sale provided for transfer of tools, machinery and other equipment. The purchase price was \$1,900.

Also filed for record was a deed for the sale of property on Welsh Hill road, near Frostburg, to Rudolph Winkler by Charles William Hager, Ethel J. Hager and the Fidelity Savings bank of Frostburg, for about \$2,000.

Allegheny High Has Two New Teachers

Two new teachers have been added to the staff of Allegheny high school. They are Mrs. Virginia Bailey, former Catonsville high teacher, who has joined the mathematics department, succeeding Alfred Fritz, who left Wednesday for military service, and Mrs. Lee Winters, who has been named music and dance teacher.

Miss Mary Soverby, who underwent an operation in Memorial hospital during the Christmas holidays, will resume her duties at Allegheny in February. Miss Naomi Enfield is substituting for her.

Italian Prisoners Will Be Employed At Green Ridge

WMC Certifies Need for 200 for Forest Work, Gov. O'Connor Says



BECOMES ENSIGN

Edwin Etienne Raphael, son of Mrs. Julia C. Raphael, 602 Washington street, graduated last Saturday from the naval air training center, Corpus Christi, Texas, and was commissioned an ensign in the United States Naval Reserve. He received his preliminary flight instruction at the Memphis, Tenn., reserve air base. Ensign Raphael has been sent to Atlanta, Ga., for a five week course in instrument flying and has been assigned to the Pennsylvania Air Lines Service. Mrs. Raphael, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary Abida Raphael, attended the graduation exercises.

Rosenbaum's Announces Bond Contest Winners

Mrs. Elsie Kaylor and Mrs. Irmel Steinberger Take First Prizes

Mrs. Elsie Kaylor and Mrs. Irmel Steinberger were first prize winners in the intra-store bond selling contest during the "Tribute to the Unconquerables" drive at Rosenbaum's last week.

Mrs. Kaylor received a \$25 bond for selling the greatest amount and Mrs. Steinberger merited a similar award for selling the greatest number of series E bonds.

Team winner was the artillery division headed by R. Frank Sheu, which sold the largest total in stamps and bonds.

Through its sales last week, which amounted to \$40,000, Rosenbaum's is entitled to fly the merit flag indicative of an employee's average over \$200.

C. William Teubner, chairman of the store's campaign, stated that the contest will be continued until the close of the Fourth War Loan Drive next month and prizes will be awarded to leading employees each week.

In charge of the Women's Auxiliary of Central Y.M.C.A., a bond booth will be maintained on the main floor of the store throughout the drive, and bonds purchased will be delivered immediately. Mrs. Paul S. Bixler, Louisiana avenue, is serving as bond issuer.

Employment Teams

Six employee teams have been organized and individual employees receive promotions in rank according to the number of bonds sold. Teams and their leaders are as follows:

Marines: Herman Barres, general, and Miss Nell Talley, lieutenant; infantry: Harold DeMerritt, general, Miss Phyllis Talley, lieutenant; tank corps: Mrs. Mary C. Ruppenkamp, general, Mrs. Florence Prenderville, lieutenant; artillery: R. Frank Sheu, general, Miss Katherine Preston, lieutenant; para-mopers: Renwick V. Taylor, general, Mrs. Elizabeth Hill, lieutenant; air corps: Kenneth Watkins, general, Mrs. Katherine Krumm, lieutenant.

Police Arrest Man Accused of Theft Of Three Rifles

Accused of grand larceny, Howard Powers, 716 Sylvan avenue, was arrested yesterday afternoon by State Trooper Milton G. Hart and will be questioned today by State Attorney Morgan C. Harris in connection with the theft of three rifles and a ring from a Valley road home July 31, 1943.

Hart said Powers was visiting at the home of Lester Harvey, Valley road, and took the high-powered rifles and ring when he departed.

Powers received an honorable discharge from the army a short time before the theft, according to the trooper, and has been ill, just recently being discharged from Allegheny hospital.

Powers will be questioned by Harris at 11 o'clock this morning.

Concert Fund Is Begun By Carver School

With the \$336 balance from the concert given here last week by the Southemaires, Carver school has started a fund to aid in bringing other concert attractions to Cumberland. Principal Earl L. Bracey announced yesterday.

Among the prospective attractions being considered by the school, under whose auspices the Southemaires appeared, are Marian Anderson, Dorothy Maynor, Paul Robeson, Roland Hayes and the Eva Jessye choir.

VFW Post Presents Membership Prizes

Dale Robertson Is Guest Speaker; 100 Attend Buffet Luncheon

Membership drive awards amounting to \$175 in war bonds were presented to three members of Hunt Post No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at a buffet luncheon last evening in the local V.F.W. home.

David Rinker received a \$100 bond, George Miller a \$50 bond and William L. McKenzie a \$25 bond.

Thomas K. Whalley, post adjutant, was master of ceremonies and introduced Dale Robertson, manager of radio station WTBO, who spoke on the subject, "Co-operation between the Radio and Service Organizations."

Other speakers included James E. Beacham, senior vice-commander, James E. Stemple, post commander, John J. Stangle and James Kierhofer, of the United States Navy. One hundred post and auxiliary members attended the affair.

Lieut. Garland Will Visit Relatives In LaVale

On his way to Oklahoma City, Okla., First Lieut. Henry B. Garland, Jr., accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Garland of Baltimore, will spend the weekend as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Loar, LaVale. He is a nephew of Mr. Loar.

Lieut. Garland, 23, is flight commander at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City and is instructor of instrument flying there. He was in the service two years last month and since leaving the hospital after a crash landing in Columbia, S. C. in which both his legs were broken and his rear gunner had to pull him from his burning plane, he has been an instructor.

Lieut. Garland was highly recommended for the manner in which he brought his plane down saving the lives of the five men with him.

